Discovery AT FLEETWOOD MOUNT

The Mount was an important weather station where charts were used to observe the movement of everyday things to record wind forces that help map the weather.



Look up at the weather vane on the Mount Pavilion Roof, which direction is the wind coming from?

The Mount Weather Mapping Chart

0 Calm

Weather vane is still

1. Light Air

Flag gently moves

2. Light Breeze

Wind felt on face, leaves rustle, weather vane moves

3. Gentle Breeze

Leaves in constant motion, flag is extended

4. Moderate Breeze

Small branches move Palm trees rustling

5 Fresh Breeze

Small trees sway, wind turbine rotating

6 Strong Breeze

Large trees move, umbrellas used with difficulty

7 Moderate Gale

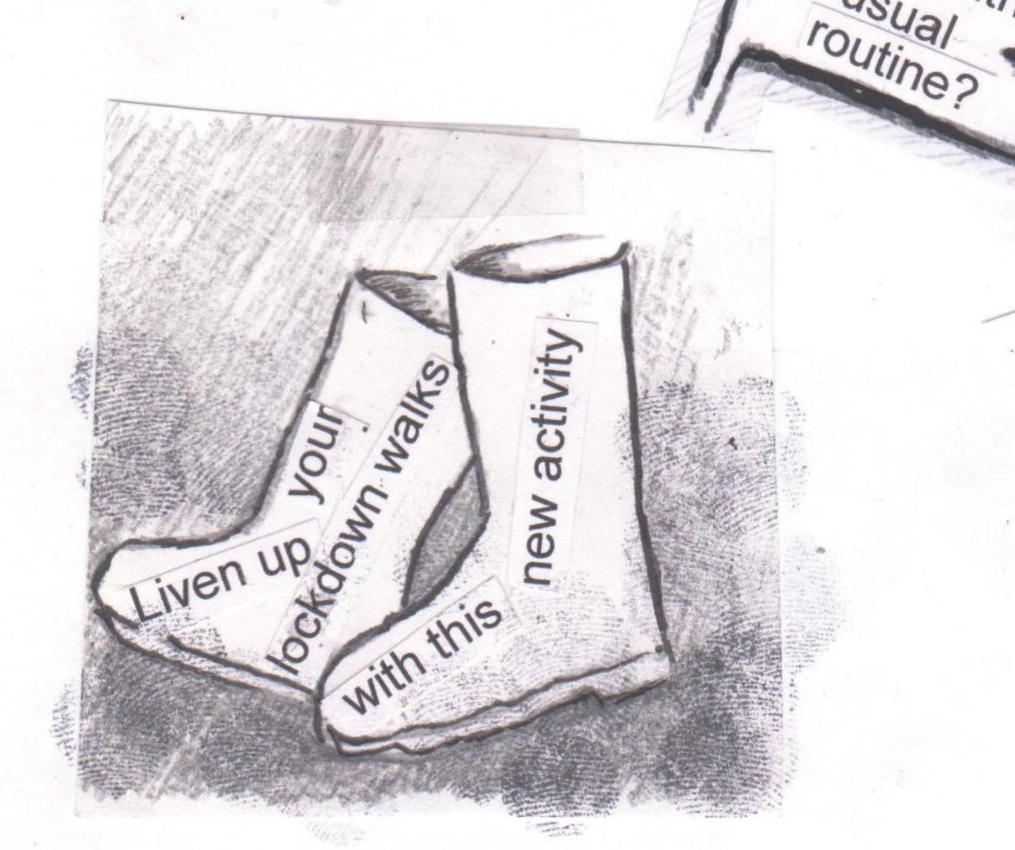
Difficulty walking against the wind



Fed up with

The usual

Activity: Using the Mount as your look out post record how things move in the wind on this chart.



Have you ever noticed the wind turbines in the hills or turrets on Fleetwood houses? Make drawings of your observations from The Mount look out post.!.

