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"Growing Together"

Forest School

Dear Parents.

Your child will be taking part in Forest School next year, usually on a Friday. The sessions will be run by Mr Seddon, Mrs Thwaites and Miss Metcalf. The sessions are great fun and contribute greatly to the children's learning. We highly recommend that your purchase an all in one waterproof for these sessions. Ideally, in winter a lined waterproof and in summer a puddle suit is more suitable.

In winter, we also ask that you provide hats, scarf and gloves, along with a couple of spare pairs of socks that can be kept in their P.E bag. We will go out in all weather, only cancelling for high wind and lightning although cold sessions may be shortened.

The activities will involve the children using a range of hand tools and lighting fires in a controlled environment. They will be shown the correct techniques when doing this as safety is most important.

Please note a risk assessment is in place for these activities and has been written in conjunction with forest school advice.

Thanks in advance,

Mrs Thwaites, Mrs Jackson and Mr Seddon.