



Clothing Policy

An integral part of the Forest School experience is that children embrace the outdoors in all weathers. The safety of the pupils is however our main concern, with the exception of very high winds, torrential rain and thunder storms, please assume that your child will be outside when they take part in Forest School activities, even if it is for a shortened session. We ask you to supply at the beginning of their forestry sessions-wellington or walking boots, and on sunny days, a sun hat ensuring sun cream has been applied; on colder days, ensure warm clothing is worn. We will provide all children taking part with a waterproof coat and waterproof trousers to protect themselves and their clothing from the elements. We do also have a limited selection of spare clothing items. If the forest leader feels a pupil is inappropriately dressed for health and safety reasons they have the right to exclude them from the activity. Please bear in mind, although caution will be taken your child could possibly get muddy!

Advised items of clothing for forestry sessions;

Spring/Summer	Autumn/ Winter
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waterproof jacket (school provides) • Short/long sleeved t-shirt(arms and legs must be covered in the woodland) • Long trousers-waterproof (school provides) • Closed toe shoes/ walking boots or trainers • Socks • A sun hat- protecting the back of the neck if possible. • Applied sun cream before the session • Gloves 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warm coat • Waterproof jacket (school provides) • Thermal underwear • A long sleeved t-shirt • vest • Long sleeved jumper/fleece • Long trousers- waterproof (school provides) • Wellington boots or walking boots • Warm socks-thermal or a few thin pairs • Hat • Scarf • Gloves