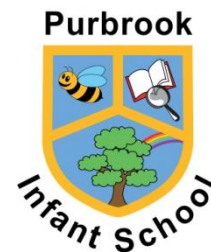


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Dear Parents/Carers

Next half term all the children in Year 2 will be commencing their second Forest School sessions of the academic year.

These will take place on the following afternoons:

Monday Afternoon: Eagles

Wednesday Afternoon: Owls

Friday Afternoon: Kestrels

Here at Purbrook Infant School we have developed a Forest School to give children the unique opportunity of experiencing first hand learning and play in a controlled outdoor environment. Led by our own trained Forest School Leaders, this experience will support the curriculum and have a strong emphasis on raising children's self-esteem and independence. An integral part of the Forest School experience is that children will experience the outdoors in all weathers so unless weather is extreme, sessions will take place, even if for shortened period.

Please check the weather forecast the day before and on the day of your child's session. However, to enable your child to access all activities please equip your child with the following as appropriate:

- 🌿 A waterproof coat with a hood
- 🌿 Waterproof trousers
- 🌿 An extra jumper or fleece, if the weather is cold
- 🌿 Wellington boots or walking boots
- 🌿 Hat, scarf and gloves (in colder weather)

As the area can become muddy please ensure your child brings **old clothes or clothes which are easy to wash.**

If you would like to find out more about Forest School sessions please log into the website www.forestschoollassociation.org. You are also welcome to come into school to speak with one of our leaders. ***We are also looking for parents who able to support us in this exciting venture so please let us know via your child's class teacher or through the school office if you are available on the afternoon designated to your child's class.***

Finally, you have already provided us with medical information relating to your child but if there is any further information e.g. allergies to foods or insect stings which you have not previously shared please update the school office.

Yours sincerely

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Forest School Leader

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