



Queenswood Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Forest School Year 4/5

From **Tuesday 2nd May** we will be starting forest school with your child's class.

What is forest school?

Forest school uses the outdoor environment to help all children learn. It is an opportunity to develop confidence, independence and self esteem through many fun and practical activities in the outdoors.

What will your child need?

On a forest school day your child will need to bring a forest school kit, the kit comprises of:

Wellies

2 pairs of socks

Old long trousers*

Old long sleeved T-shirt*

Old sweatshirt/jumper*

Waterproof coat

Hat and gloves - If weather is really cold, though you may include a sunhat if we are fortunate with the weather.

Waterproof trousers are also great if you have them

* Long sleeves are essential !

As long as it is safe we will go to forest school every Tuesday afternoon whatever the weather. It is highly probable that your child will get wet and dirty (this all adds to the fun). Please do not send them with best clothes. We will get changed out of our uniform and into our forest school clothes before we go to forest school.

If you have a current CRB and would like to come to forest school with us you are most welcome. If you do not have a CRB then see Marie or Teresa and fill in a form - the more the merrier!

Please complete the attached form and return to school so that your child can experience the fun and learning of forest school.

Best Wishes

Mrs Melville

Our School Values

Achievement Honesty Confidence Respect Happiness Responsibility Compassion