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Dear Parent /Carer,

## Forest School

We are delighted to inform you that all Reception year children will be taking part in Forest school sessions this year.

Your child will be doing Forest school in our first group. There will be 5 sessions on Monday afternoons from 1-3pm starting on Wednesday 9th October. If a session has to be cancelled it will be rescheduled so that the children do not miss out.

The children will be in the forest school area with 3 adults, including Miss Heyes (EYFS teaching assistant and forest school leader), another EYFS teaching assistant and a parent helper.

Please could your child come to school dressed in suitable clothes to take part in Forest school during the afternoon. (There is no need to bring uniform that day).

- Your child will need clothes which can get muddy.
- Which, cover the whole of their arms and legs.
- If it is warm, please provide a sun hat which covers their ears and apply sun cream (not so likely this half-term!)
- If it is cold or wet, they will need warm layers and waterproofs, ideally including waterproof trousers.
- Wellies or walking boots are best, but old trainers are fine if it is not too wet.
- Thick socks or two pairs will also be needed.
- Long hair should be tied back.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us. I am sure you will hear lots about it from the children

Kind regards

Mrs Jewell and Miss Heyes EYFS and Forest School team

