

Forest School Long Term Planning

Term	Topic area	Assessment
Autumn	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students to be able to list three different types of hazard and assess risks in Forest School • Students to be able to create a risk assessment for Forest School • Students to demonstrate the use of protective clothing (PPE) for working in Forest School • Students to participate in various games • Students to create their own games 	Pupils will be assessed throughout the year on the following areas. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emotional intelligence • Resilience • Developing Skills • Decision Making • Evaluating • Knowledge and understanding of Forest School
Spring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students to be able to demonstrate the use of two knots • Make an item using natural materials • Assist with the building of a temporary shelter • Students to be able to list three safety rules for using a campfire and assist in laying and extinguishing a campfire • Students to be able to organize and leave a work area clean and tidy 	Pupils will be assessed throughout the year on the following areas. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emotional intelligence • Resilience • Developing Skills • Decision Making • Evaluating • Knowledge and understanding of Forest School
Summer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students to be able to give simple biodiversity in relation to woodlands • Students to be able to identify a range of plants, trees and animals in Forest School • Students to identify activities which could impact on biodiversity in Forest School • Name and demonstrate the safe use of a minimum of four hand tools for using in Forest School • Students to be able to clean and store tools safely • Students to be able to light a 10 minute fire safely 	Pupils will be assessed throughout the year on the following areas. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emotional intelligence • Resilience • Developing Skills • Decision Making • Evaluating • Knowledge and understanding of Forest School

Useful Resources

Woodlands Trust:

http://www.naturedetectives.org.uk/download/hunt_leaves

<http://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/>

Forestry Commission:

<http://www.forestry.gov.uk/>

Archimedes:

<https://www.archimedes-training.co.uk/forest-school-association/>

National Trust

<http://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/>

Forest School Association

<http://www.outdoor-learning.org/Default.aspx?tabid=336>

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