



Temple Grafton Church of England Primary School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

We are delighted to be able to tell you that Year 4 will be starting Forest School on our new site, just across the road from school next Monday 12th January.

What is Forest School?

Forest School is a unique method of outdoor education that allows children to develop confidence, independence, self-esteem, awareness and knowledge of the natural environment. It is a child centered and child led programme that provides the opportunity for the children to use their personal learning style to complete their chosen tasks.

What do the children need to wear?

It is important that the children are comfortable and not worried about getting their clothes dirty. We don't let the weather stop us having fun but it is important that we are suitably dressed. Thanks to the PTA, school are able to supply waterproof dungarees but the children will need warm, waterproof coats and suitable footwear. Snow boots are ideal at this time of year but if your child does not have these, slightly oversized wellies with thermal socks are an alternative. Hats and gloves are also essential at this time of year with plenty of layers underneath.

Consent Form

As we will be going off site we would ask you to fill in the consent form and medical details and return this to the school office by Friday 9th January.

If you have any questions or concerns about your child taking part in this programme please do not hesitate to come in and have a chat!

Kind regards

Claire Uttley
Forest School Leader

If you, your child or any member of your family have difficulty in accessing the school and/or the school's facilities and services, please contact the School Office for assistance.



Temple Grafton Forest School Consent Form

Please complete and return to school office

Child's Full Name:	
Date of Birth:	
Parent/carer:	
Contact Number:	
Contact Address:	
Name and Contact of Doctor:	

Has your child had any of the following?

Illness	Comment	Medication needed
Asthma/Bronchitis		
Sight/hearing difficulties		
Heart condition		
Diabetes		
Epilepsy		
Allergies: e.g. pollen, nuts, medicines etc.		
Has your child ever had an adverse reaction to a bee or wasp sting?		
Date of last Tetanus injection		

I give my consent for my child to take part in Forest School and agree to her/him taking part in the activities.

I understand that every effort will be made by the school to contact parents in the event of an emergency as quickly as possible. I give consent for First Aid and Emergency treatment to be administered.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Name Printed: _____ Relationship to child _____

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