



Warren Road Primary School

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Dear Y6 Parents/Carers,

After half term your child will be attending Forest School once a week for 6 weeks. For 6S & 6L this will be on Tuesdays starting on Tuesday the 2nd November and for 6M & 6K it will be on Wednesdays starting on Wednesday 3rd November. This will replace swimming for this half term only.

The session will involve a variety of outdoor activities in the school Nature Area with a focus on self-confidence, resilience skills, involvement, enjoyment, physical skills, mental health and wellbeing. The children will also be taught a variety of hands-on skills through activities such as den making and classification, where they will be using tools and working as a team.

Your child will need to wear suitable warm clothing, a pair of wellies and waterproof trousers for every session. If it is wet, they will also need a coat. Please be mindful that they will most likely get muddy. These clothes can be kept in school on their peg and will be sent home with PE kits at the end of term for washing. Please clearly label everything. Don't feel you need to buy new items, old clothing that can get wet and muddy work really well.

In order to enable this fantastic opportunity, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £5 to cover resources and maintenance of the Nature Area. Please make this payment via School Gateway.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me via the school email, Dojo or message your child's class teacher.

Best wishes,

Miss Waterman
Deputy Head

