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Dear Parents/Carers of Children in Y3,

We are delighted to be introducing our Outdoor Learning programme to our Year 3 children on Friday 13th October. Outdoor Learning gives children the unique opportunity to experience play and learning in a controlled outdoor environment. The work will have a strong links to the Science curriculum and will assist in raising all children's confidence and independence whilst developing the children's awareness and understanding of the outdoors.

Your child will need suitable outdoor clothes that they can change into for their Forest School session. These clothes should be labelled with your child's name and should be brought in to school on Friday 13th October. If a change of clothing (including a coat) is not sent in to school your child may not be able to take part in the session.

This would include:

- an old waterproof coat,
- waterproof or old, warm trousers,
- wellies or "walking boots"
- an old jumper and jogging bottoms/leggings
- gloves and hat if cold weather
- **plastic bag to put the dirty clothes in**

Please bear in mind that your child **WILL GET VERY MUDDY!** If you are struggling for suitable clothing then please come and talk to us about how we can help.

Sessions will be led by a fully qualified Forest School Leader and the class teacher.

If you have any questions, please feel free to approach Mrs Walton, our newly assigned Forest School Leader or Miss Tyrer.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Walton



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