

2nd June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

RE: Year 6 Forest School

Our aim is to give every child at Burton-upon-Stather Primary School the opportunity of experiencing the benefits of outdoor learning. Due to the busy term already planned for Year 6 (Alton Towers, transition days and sports week), there will be four Forest School sessions this term, please see the dates below and please note the items needed for some of the sessions:

- Monday 15th June
- Thursday 25th June
- Monday 29th June – please come to school in PE kits (Sports week) and bring Forest School clothing for the afternoon
- Monday 13th July – Including water fight, please bring spare clothes, towel and water gun

These sessions will be planned around all areas of the school curriculum, i.e. they will still have maths and literacy in a morning - it will just be outdoors! Can you please ensure that on these days your child comes to school wearing their Forest School clothes and that you are happy for them to get muddy and a bit smoky, including:

- Long trousers/jogging bottoms
- Long sleeved top and fleece/jumper
- Wellies/boots (or trainers with socks that cover the ankles)
- Waterproof coat
- Warm hat and something to tie long hair back with
- Water bottle
- Spares shoes to change into at lunchtime

School will provide protective gloves. The only time the children will not be in the WOW area will be if the forecast is high winds. Should it be heavy rain, please send a change of clothes, again suitable for the Forest School.

During Forest School children may taste foods, please complete the below form before Friday 12th June to update us on any allergies or food preferences for your child:

[Year 6 Forest School – Fill out form](#)

If you have any queries, please feel free to contact the school to discuss.

Thank you

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