Year 4 Forest School



What should I already know?

- To respect the set boundaries.
- The Spinney is a habitat for animals, mini-beasts and plants
- How to use a peeler safely.
- Ingredients for fire are fuel, oxygen and heat spark.

Our theme will be Trees



We will learn the names and observe properties of some of the trees.

We will use tools (loppers, secateurs, peeler) to create things out of wood.

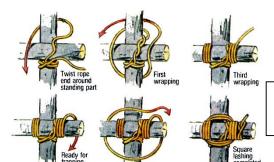
We will improve our self-confidence as we try new things.

We will develop trust and responsibility through games and activities.

We will cook toast on a fire.

Key Vocabulary and definitions

Spinney		A small wood with undergrowth.	
evergreen		A tree which does not lose its leaves in Autumn.	
deciduous		A tree which loses its leaves in Autumn and regrows them in Spring.	
observation		To pay close attention to things and spot as much as you can.	
seasonal		Linked to the seasons of the year: Summer, Autumn, Spring and Winter	
respect		Acting in ways to show care for others	
responsible		Acting to do something you are expected to do.	
collaborative		To work together with others to do a task.	
oak	elder	hazel	yew
Tall trees for shipbuilding	Fast growing wood	Hairy Hazel leaves	Poisonous berries



Square Lashing – this is used to tie two sticks together at a right-angle.