

Learning Forest
Broomhills Farm
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Dear Parents

Next half term your child will attend three Forest School sessions at *The Learning Forest*, not far from school.

On each visit your child will visit our idyllic, rural woodland site which runs alongside the river Lyne. The location gives huge scope for a variety of themes & learning for all year groups including plants & living things, habitats, rivers, weather, seasons in-fact almost anything! At the forest school site, we have a campfire, hammock, nature trail & mud kitchen and your child will also learn how to use some tools safely.

For a successful visit to the forest in November (in unpredictable Cumbrian weather) it is essential that your child has the correct clothes for the visit, as we try to go ahead whatever the weather!

Therefore, your child will need to wear:

- Hat
- Gloves
- Trousers with sport skin / tights / leggings underneath AVOID JEANS
- Long thick socks or two pairs
- Top layers vest, t shirt, jumper
- Thick waterproof coat
- Waterproof trousers (if you don't have a pair a bag for life can be just as good to sit on!)
- Boots / wellies
- Water bottle
- Waterproof bag / rucksack with dry spare clothes, including socks!

For further information about The Learning Forest look at our Facebook Page – *Learning Forest* I am very much looking forward to working with your children again.

Yours sincerely

Catherine Armstrong