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Dear Parents/Carers

Within our school grounds, Year 3 will be participating in Forest School sessions next half-term from the week commencing Monday 10th January 2022. Each Forest School session will support the main curriculum in an outdoor environment. Abi Elphinstone and Cressida Cowell Class will take part each **Monday** of the half-term for **6 weeks**.

An integral part of the Forest School experience is that children will experience the outdoors in all weathers, with the exception of very severe weather. However, please assume that your child **will be outside** when they take part in Forest Schools, even if it is for a shortened session. To help achieve this, all children taking part in Forest School will need a waterproof coat, trousers, wellington boots/trainers/walking boots and warm clothing. Please bear in mind your child could possibly get muddy or dirty so **a change of clothes is essential** on their Forest School days!

If you have the opportunity to go on any walks and pick up any sticks/twigs that you could bring into school that would be extremely helpful.

Also, if you are available to help with the sessions and are DBS checked with school, please let Miss Barrett know.

Yours Sincerely,

Miss Barrett (Forest School Leader)

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