



Outdoor Learning Experience



Dear Parents and Carers of Reception & Year 1,

We are excited to continue to provide your child(ren) the unique opportunity of experiencing first hand, play and learning in a controlled and purposeful outdoor environment.

This is an inspirational concept providing learning opportunities through practical activities in the outdoor environment. Children enjoy the freedom to explore and experience the natural world in all seasons and in all weathers. This type of learning embraces an approach of nurturing, supporting and developing the self-esteem of the children. It is an ideal environment in which to develop innovation, problem solving, risk-taking, creativity and teamwork. We ensure that the activities also meet the EYFS and National Curriculum.

The safety and the welfare of the pupils participating in Outdoor Learning is paramount and therefore all tasks are age appropriate and risk assessments have been carried out for all activities prior to taking place.

The following dates of this experience are as follows:

07.03.23

14.03.23

21.03.23

28.03.23

Please ensure that your child(ren) come to School wearing their school uniform but do bring a bag containing:

- Warm clothes
- Waterproofs
- Wellies

We do have a limited number of waterproofs and wellies at school should your child(ren) require to borrow some. On these days, children will be sent home in their Outdoor Learning clothes. These Outdoor Learning experiences will go ahead regardless of the weather (unless it is too dangerous) so please ensure that your child(ren) have plenty of layers and waterproofs so that they can make the most of this opportunity.

If you have any questions regarding this experience, please contact Miss Morgan on year1_wul@emmausmac.com

Yours faithfully,

Miss Morgan and Mrs Harris

Reception Class and Year 1 Teachers