



11th February 2026

Dear parents/carers,

Forest School – Reception

Children in Reception will be attending Forest School from week commencing 23rd February 2026.

Your child will be taking part in the afternoon session so will need to wear their full uniform to school every **Thursday** and bring their Forest School kit in a bag to change into afterwards.

As Forest School runs throughout the year, come rain or shine, it is important that parents send their children into school dressed appropriately (or in a bag if they are participating in the pm session) The only time Forest School may be cancelled due to inclement weather is high winds, sessions will still run even if it is raining heavily (with appropriate adaptations made by Outdoor Learning Leaders).

As the weather remains cooler during the Spring months, children will need to wear/bring lots of layers, the more the better.

A suggested kit list is as follows:

- Jogging bottoms/ comfortable trousers
- A long sleeved T-shirt (or two if it's super cold) with a jumper or sweatshirt on top
- Boots which are ideally waterproof walking boots (may need respraying with water proof spray from time to time) as these are better at insulating the feet when it's really cold but if not lots of socks and wellies will be fine.
- Two pairs of socks
- Waterproof trousers and a waterproof coat with a hood.
- Gloves and hats
- Thermal base layers (optional if your child gets cold quickly).
- Sunhat (as and when the weather improves!)

If you require any more information please contact Ms Heather or Mrs Hall on 01384 283699.

Yours sincerely,

Ms N Heather
Headteacher

“Dingle Community Primary School, where every child has a **V.O.I.C.E**”

V-be Valued for who you are, **O**-have Opportunities to grow, thrive and make a difference. **I**-feel Included with a sense of belonging. **C**-Care for and be part of our community. **E**- have high Expectations of oneself and others.

“A child who feels heard becomes a child who dares to dream”