

**Disclaimer**

Treetops Forest School makes every effort to ensure that you and your child stay safe during your sessions. Careful risk assessment and training has been carried out. However, it is important to understand that part of the Forest School ethos is concerned with allowing children to take a degree of risk in order to be able to start assessing risk for themselves.

During the session there may be access to a rage of tools for children to use in order to develop skills in whittling, carving, sawing, etc and whilst careful assessment of the individual’s skills and ability will be made there will be a measured risk of injury which individuals take a personal responsibility for.

This is also the case for fire lighting. Children and adults will be taught according to our policies and procedures.

You are required to disclose any special or specific needs your child may have. This is to be recorded on the booking form and include; behaviour issues, physical disability, medical issues, special educational needs, allergies, dietary requirements, medical issues. We need this information so that we can plan sessions accordingly and keep all children safe. Please also refer to our behaviour and exclusion policy as well as other documents in the hand-book. This information is kept confidential.

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Treetops Forest School has public liability insurance of £10,000,000.

If you are attending a session where you are required to stay with your child then you are agreeing to be responsible for the child or children that you have brought to the session.

Treetops does not except any responsibility to damage to vehicles parked in the car park or whilst driving down the track, uneven bumps, pot holes and sticks are present due to the nature of the setting and drivers should take precautions to avoid any damage to their vehicle for example drive slowly..

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