## Forest School Curriculum Progression at Merebrook Infant School



Strand	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2
Shelter Building	I can build a small den for small animals and toys. I can use natural items to create dens.	I can make a mini den using tripod structures with some support. I can make a lean-to shelter with support.	I can use a tripod structure to build a den independently. I am beginning to use lashing and frapping to make a frame. I can make a lean-to shelter with limited support.
Geographical Skills and Navigation	I can follow rules and boundaries I can use some positional language to describe the environment.	I can use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West). I can use simple directional language (near and far, left and right). I can describe the location of features and routes on a map.	I can describe the location of features and routes on a map with greater details I can recongnise landmarks and human and physical features. I can devise a simple map and use basic symbols on a key.
Exploration and Play	I can follow rules and boundaries when I play. I can show that I am aware of risk (brambles/nettles/water insects)	I can travel safely over terrain I can carry sticks safely I can work as a team to cooperate and communicate clearly I can make a daisy chain.	I can move logs safely with support I can build a bridge/investigate insects living in FS/bird watching/make sensory story sticks.
Using Tools	I can use a peelers (with gloves) for whittling, trowels and forks for planting.	I can use a hammer safely.	I can use tools to cut larger ropes.
Knots	I can tie shoe laces	I can tie two basic knots.	I can use know to attach to structures. I can use know to join materials