

Sports Premium Report May 2024

St Mark's CofE Primary School

Sports Premium funding this year is £21,340. The full amount has been allocated to the provision of Forest School, which is an embedded part of our Sports Curriculum.

Please read our [Forest School Handbook](#) for further information regarding the vision and purpose of our Forest School provision.

An updated video of the Forest School site can be found here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-BiXcaPcnPM>



Key points around Forest School:

- A forest school leader has been successfully trained (Level 3) and appointed, and currently works 5 mornings a week. First Aid training has also been completed.
- Each year group has at least 5 sessions of Forest School per year.
- Risk assessments have been completed and are reviewed.
- [Click here](#) to read our “Outdoor Learning Policy” and “Forest School Handbook”, created especially for Forest School.
- “Progression of Skills and Experiences for Forest School” is in place, ensuring that Forest School is purposeful, age-appropriate, progressive and carefully thought out.
- Staff, parental and pupil feedback has been overwhelmingly positive.
- Spare wellies and items of clothing are available for children who don't have them.
- The full amount of the funding has been spent.

Future Development:

- We are keen to develop our FS provision, including allowing more opportunities for children to visit Forest School.