

# Shropshire and Telford & Wrekin Local Authority Scheme for Outdoor Learning and Forest School Progression



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## Fees

Level 1: £280 per day for up to 20 participants  
 Level 2: £280 per day for up to 6 participants  
 (Half days/twilight by arrangement)  
 Level 3: £650 pp for full course  
 £120pp for revalidation day

	Learning Activity	Venue	Ed Visits Category
<b>Level 1</b> Learning Outside the Classroom Practitioner (6 hours)	<b>Learning Outside the Classroom</b> Curriculum delivery through the outdoors – examples through the day. Team building Journeying – using own school site Practical Risk –Benefit analysis, and outdoor activity management	On school site and in grounds	Category 1 – routine and consent as part of curriculum. Generic risk-benefit assessment Certificate of attendance valid in Shropshire and Telford &Wrekin
<b>Level 2</b> Forest Skills Leader (12 hours or Modular options) Refresher options	<b>Forest Skills</b> Basic equipment Demonstration of basic session Quiet experience Games and activities to demonstrate ‘Wild Fun’ and explicit and implicit/explicit learning. Fire circles, including lighting, cooking. Tool use – hand drill, fret saw & potato peelers Site development, risk assessment and management	On school site or specific site that is regularly used	Category 2a - event specific planning including consent and risk-benefit assessment Certificate of attendance valid in Shropshire and Telford & Wrekin
<b>Level 3</b> Forest School Leader (5 days training and 5 days assessment) 3 yearly 1 day revalidation	<b>Forest Schools</b> Forest School is a holistic learning approach that sits within and complements the wider context of outdoor and woodland education. Nursery to Teens. L3 qualified can act as Technical Adviser with establishment i.e. train and validate other supporting staff. <i>[This is a national award, and other providers are available]</i>	Any site as per Forest School NGB	Category 2b – Adventurous Activity - event specific planning including consent, risk-benefit assessment. Notification to LA Outdoor Education Adviser. National qualification

Please note: ● Each level is a stand-alone course. The choice of course will depend on school/staff need. It is not a requirement to do Level 1 before level 2, before Level 3  
 ● First aid training is not included but can be provided on request