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Friday 14th February

Dear Parents,

Maple will be having a **forest school day** on **Tuesday 25th February** as part of our topic, 'Delving into the Woods'. This will take place in our local area.

A few activities that we hope to cover are:

- Learning names of trees and their properties – Science
- Discussing the current weather and season – Science/Geography
- Rock rummage and leaf sorting – Engineering/Science

We will be braving the winter weather! Please can you child come dressed suitably with lots of layers. A hat, scarf, gloves, waterproof coat and mud proof shoes (e.g. walking boots or wellies) will be needed.

School will provide a healthy snack for the morning and a packed lunch. If you would like to provide your own packed lunch, please let us know. We ask for children to bring a water bottle for throughout the day, but we will be providing them with hot chocolate and marshmallows to finish.

There is no charge for this trip.

As always we will be posting lots of pictures on Twitter. Follow @WhitegateMaple and @SchoolWhitegate.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Miss Monks