

Forest School and Creative Wild Play.

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Dear Parents/carers

The <u>General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)</u> is a new EU law that will come into effect in the UK on 25 May 2018 and the changes will remain in place even after the UK leaves the EU in 2019. It replaces the current Data Protection Act 1998. GDPR will give individuals greater control over their personal data.

Stickstacks Forest School takes your privacy seriously and will only use your personal information for enable us to safely deliver Forest School sessions.

From time to time we will need to contact you via email to provide you with Forest School updates, share or inform you of relevant news & information and to make any updates necessary for our records.

We will input your data into internal systems and keep paper files (that will be carried with us in the Forest School leaders backpack during outdoor sessions) which helps us manage our Forest School smoothly. Your data is held securely and can be accessed by authorised personnel only.

The new regulations call for a concise, transparent, intelligible & easily accessible 'Privacy Notice', which clearly lays out what data we are collecting, how we will use it & who it will be shared with. Our Privacy Notice will be emailed for you to read. A hard copy is also available from Lisa Chell.

Personal information will not be shared with any third parties without your permission.

Signing below confirms that you have read & understood the above statement & 'Privacy Notice' & therefore gives us consent to contact you regarding relevant matters.

I have read and understand the terms of the above statement & Privacy Notice.

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