Our Woodland Learning; Forest and Garden Progression of Skills

Fire

	Skill	Spring Activities	Summer Activities	Autumn Activities	Winter Activities		
Babies	I can show interest in fire	- Approaching and leaving					
	and observe.	the fire circle with an adult.					
Toddlers	I can show awareness of	- "Fire, Fire; do not touch! It					
	the danger of fires. I am	can hurt you very much!"					
	beginning to understand	- Approaching and leaving					
	that I must sit safely when	the fire circle with an adult.					
	there is a fire lit.	- "How to build a fire"					
		picture cards with					
		matching vocab (sticks,					
		pit, fire, hot, water, etc)					
		- Fire safety rules flashcards					
Pre-schoolers	I can sit safely when a fire	- Approaching and leaving	Dry ground: discussion				
	is lit. I am beginning to	the fire circle with verbal	about whether it's safe to				
	understand what is needed	guidance.	light a fire on dry ground.				
	to build a fire and can	- Gathering fuel.					
	gather fuel.	- Book "Fiery Fox: Learns					
		About Fire Safety					
		- Using our senses					
		- "How to build a fire"					
		picture cards with					
		matching vocab (sticks,					
		pit, fire, hot, water, etc)					
		- Fire safety rules flashcards					
Reception	I can observe and talk	- Approaching and leaving	- Dry ground: discussion				
	about fire lighting	the fire circle with verbal	about whether it's safe to				
	procedures. I can	guidance.	light a fire on dry ground.				
	contribute to fire building	- Gathering fuel.	-				
	by selecting fuel. I can	- Sorting fuel.					
	follow fire safety	- Drying fuel.					
	procedures.						

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