



Lindens Teaching School

Outdoor Learning – Risk is Great! It’s how we learn!

Audience – Teachers and Teaching Assistants

As part of the Teaching School here at Lindens we have our very own SLE in Outdoor Learning, Dan Whittaker from Elmwood School, Walsall.

Schools have the opportunity for Dan to work directly with pupils and/or staff in developing an outdoor curriculum or develop school grounds.

Programmes have ranged from experiences in Elmwood’s woodland and grounds as well as the Adventure Barn. Please see Elmwood’s school website for the exceptional feedback that schools have given Dan’s work;

<http://www.elmwood.walsall.sch.uk/teaching-school-alliances/teaching-school-alliance>

Dan’s philosophy focusses on fun, resilience and independence in pupils, underpinned by the virtues outlined by the Spirit of Adventure Foundation and the ethics promoted by the leading journals such as Horizons Magazine from the Institute for Outdoor Learning;

http://www.soadventure.org/Affiliate_Groups

<https://www.outdoor-learning.org/Good-Practice/Research-Publications/Horizons>

Book early to avoid disappointment, as Dan is in great demand especially in the Summer months.

To discuss further or to arrange bespoke training contact:

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