







SPRING INTO NATURE Key Stage 1&2

Spend a spring themed morning, dying eggs, making rabbit crowns and other spring crafts. After lunch your fluffle of new bunnies will adventure into the woods to find eggs and learn about colony life for our native rabbits.

Aim: To develop knowledge of spring and native rabbits, tree and plant identification and how we can use the natural environment to make art pieces. To learn some basic art skills. To have a great time and experience the natural world.		Adult requirements: School Adults - 1-10 Leighton Adults - 1-15
Success Criteria: I can talk about myself and my contribution in a positive way. I can talk about a shared experience in a positive way. I can use a variety of natural resources to make different types of art. I can use a range of tools safely	 I have learned about how we can use things we find around us I have learned how the natural world changes in the season and how to identify plants and trees, different leaves etc. I have learned about Rabbits and their habitat 	
Resources Required: Outdoor clothes Waterproof shoes Packed Lunches	Resources Provided: • Eggs, tights. • Paper, pencils, clipboards, extra crafting supplies. • Tools. • Safety equipment, including PPE • Wood, sticks, fixings, other materials. • Tarps, shelters and sitting mats	

Key language:

Dyes, colours, teamwork, nature, plants, trees, flowers, rabbits, warren, colony, fluffle, bunnies. Safety, cutting edge, safety gloves, fire, paints, bowsaw, hammer and nails, hand drill, screwdriver and screws

Prior Learning: No prior learning required

Activity plans:

In the Hazel Tree Retreat, Woods and Walled Garden:

- The group will be given different crafting activities to do, from dying eggs with natural dyes on a fire to making rabbit nature crowns and much more.
- If tools are to be used everyone will be given a tool talk.

Lunch:

• Lunch can be eaten outside or in The Studio depending on the weather.

The Hazel Tree Retreat, Woods and Walled Garden:

• They will be brought together to chat and go through the plan for the afternoon.

Extras:

• The group will venture out into the woods wearing their rabbit crowns, so they can add found nature to them along the way. They will go on a hunt for the hidden eggs and to explore the woods and learn about rabbits and their habitat.