Tatsfield Primary School

Outdoor and Adventurous Activities (OAA) Skills Progression



KS2 NC objective:

> take part in outdoor and adventurous activity challenges both individually and within a team

Year 3

- Orientate themselves with increasing confidence and accuracy around a short trail.
- Identify and use effective communication to begin to work as a team.
- Identify symbols used on a key.
- Begin to choose equipment that is appropriate for an activity.
- Communicate with others.
- To develop knowledge of the environment and the world around them in forest school. Learning how to take healthy risks and independence development.

Year 4

- Create a short trail for others with a physical challenge.
- Start to recognise features of an orienteering course.
- Have experience of a range of roles within a team and begin to identify the key skills required to succeed at each.
- Associate the meaning of a key in the context of the environment.
- Make an informed decision on the best equipment to use for an activity.
- Plan and organise a trail that others can follow.
- Communicate clearly with others.
- Work as part of a team.
- Begin to use a map to complete an orienteering course.

Year 5

- Start to orientate themselves with increasing confidence and accuracy around an orienteering course.
- Design an orienteering course that can be followed and offers some challenge to others.
- Begin to use navigation equipment to orientate around a trail.
- Use clear communication to effectively complete a particular role in a team.
- Complete orienteering activities both as part of a team and independently.
- Identify a key on a map and begin to use the information in activities.
- Create an outdoor activity that challenges others.
- Create a simple plan of an activity for others to follow.
- Communicate clearly and effectively with others.
- Work effectively as part of a team.
- Successfully use a map to complete an orienteering course.

Year 6

- Orientate themselves with confidence and accuracy around an orienteering course when under pressure.
- Design an orienteering course that is clear to follow and offers challenge to others.
- Use navigation equipment (maps, compasses) to improve the trail.
- Use clear communication to effectively complete a particular role in a team.
- Compete in orienteering activities both as part of a team and independently.
- Use a range of map styles and make an informed decision on the most effective.
- Choose the best equipment for an outdoor activity.
- Prepare an orienteering course for others to follow.
- Identify the quickest route to accurately navigate an orienteering course.
- Communicate clearly and effectively with others when under pressure.
- Work effectively as part of a team, demonstrating leadership skills when necessary.