



Footprints



A session based around sustainable design, thinking and resource use. Using the inspirational Footprint building as a stimulus we will explore the materials and choices made in its design and construction.

Session outline

A materials “treasure hunt” is a fun way to explore the Footprint Building and gives us a starting point for discussing the materials and choices made in its design. This leads onto topics around lifecycles, natural materials, properties of materials, weather, mathematics and design. In groups we will design our own sustainable building and present these to the class. In the afternoon we will explore the woodlands and work in groups to use the natural materials around us to construct sustainable and practical shelters.

Curriculum links

Standard Primary Curriculum areas covered: Design and Technology; Biology; Physics; Writing; Speaking and Listening; Geography; Physical Education and Modern Language.

The detail and level will be adapted to be age appropriate. In addition pupils will develop their team working and communication skills. All sessions are designed with holistic learning in mind and aim to develop the heart, head and hand. A culture of care and respect for ourselves, each other, and the environment is encouraged throughout.

All sessions fully risk assessed and delivered by First Aid trained, DBS checked practitioners. £200 per group, max 30.

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