Winter Survival Session (KS2)

Learn all about hibernation and how animals cope with the autumn and winter seasons in the forest. Investigate how Doug the Dormouse builds his nest to keep warm and use scientific investigation to explore hibernation. Other activities include pine cone bird feeders, Forest scavenger hunt, autumn colour match and squirrel food hunt challenge.

The Spirit of Sherwood at Christmas (KS1 & KS2)

Come join Maid Marion this winter season at Sherwood Forest Education Centre. Journey on a magical winter trail to discover the beauty of Sherwood at Christmas for medieval times and collect stamps for your passport along the way. Create Christmas crafts and enjoy a hot chocolate and a story to end your day.

Available over select dates in December, contact us to secure your place!

Each of the Day Centres have an array of other activities running this spring. Please get in touch to see how we can support your curriculum in the great outdoors!
**Brackenhurst Environmental Education Centre**

**Rocket Science (KS2)**

Bring your class along to an exciting day of science investigations and have a fun action-packed science day where children work in small teams to investigate forces using air/water rockets to predict, test, record and present their results. Also, who can generate the most electricity using wind turbines they have made.

Working in small teams, your Rocket Scientists will have to measure the correct amount of rocket fuel, assemble for flight and predict what will happen when the rockets take off on the firing range.

**Stone Age (KS2)**

Travel back in time to 2000BC as you walk through the grounds of Brackenhurst Hall. Children will become hunter gatherers then take part in a hands on day of shelter building, cave painting, willow weaving. They will use tools to make a Stone Age wooden pendant and a clay charm to ward off evil spirits.

Learn what life was like in prehistoric Britain.

**Perlethorpe Environmental Education Centre**

**Minibeasts (KS1 & KS2)**

Why not come down to Perlethorpe to see what lives in our Woodland and Grassland?

Your class will make predictions of types and numbers of bugs that could be found, using scientific methods they will carry out a small habitat study and record the types found. They will also record natural factors that could have an influence of where the bugs live e.g. weather, temperature and light level.

**Nativity (KS1 & KS2)**

Bring your children to Perlethorpe this December to learn about the Christmas Nativity story as seen through the eyes of a Grumpy Inn Keeper. The children will go on a journey from Nazareth to Bethlehem checking the Inn’s along the way. Once in Bethlehem your class will act out the Nativity story in our Christmas barn. For the other half of the day your children will get the chance to make a Christmas table decoration using pine cones, paint, glue and the best GLITTER!