

Street Country



Helping you
discover the
wonders of the
natural world



Woodland Explorer

A unique outdoor
learning experience for
schools, community
groups and families

Woodland Explorer sessions use the **Forest School** ethos. Forest School is a unique opportunity which enables children to initiate and develop their own learning through play in a natural environment. It is supported by leaders who create a wide range of learning and developmental opportunities that meet their individual needs.

Enquires or bookings can be made by contacting **Ruth Street**
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Volunteering opportunities are available.



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Street Country was started in 2011 by Ruth Street in order to self publish her information book for children on water voles.

Ruth is an **experienced primary school teacher** and **expert environmental educator**. She has taught in a number of the local primary schools and been a field teacher for Chichester Harbour Conservancy for many years.

She is now developing her own **environmental education business** by offering **outdoor learning opportunities** in various locations near her home in Bognor Regis. She uses her graphic design skills to produce learning **resources** and offers **workshops**.

She has recently qualified as a **Forest School Leader**.



Schools

Age range: Primary school

Number of children: 15

Length: 2 hours

Duration: Half a term

Opportunities can be provided to meet the requirements of the National Curriculum.

The Forest School ethos encourages

- Confidence and resilience
- Creativity and independence
- Freedom to explore through play
- Individual, holistic learning
- Positive relationships
- Self confidence
- Self esteem
- Environmental responsibility
- Risk management
- Learning over time



This enables them to engage more effectively with classroom learning and improves their performance.

After School Club

Activities include

- Discovering wildlife
- Stories
- Woodland crafts
- Tool use
- Den building
- Campfire cooking
- Conservation tasks



Age range: 6–11

Number of children: 15

Length: 2 hours

Duration: Half a term



For details of days, times, cost and bookings, please contact **Street Country** or look on the website.

Preschool group

Age range: 4–5

Number of children: 12

Length: 2 hours

Duration: Half a term

Location

Acorn Wood, North Bersted Bognor Regis.

This is a private piece of woodland owned by Chris Tomkins, the local thatcher. There is no public access.

Meeting point:

Bersted Park Community Centre, Lakeland Avenue, Bognor Regis PO21 5FF. Acorn Wood is less than 5 minutes walk away.

