NORTHSIDE
Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,
RE: All-in-One Waterproof Suits for Outdoor Learning

At Northside, we are continually looking for ways to enhance the learning experiences of the children in our Early Years setting. As the weather is changing, we would like to ask parents to purchase an additional item to our Early Years uniform: an **all-in-one waterproof suit**. This will enable the children to fully access and enjoy our outdoor provision throughout the year, regardless of the weather.

Outdoor learning is a vital part of early childhood development. It supports a wide range of learning opportunities and offers children the chance to:

- Explore and connect with the natural world
- Build physical strength, coordination and confidence
- Develop social skills through collaborative play
- Extend their curiosity, imagination and problem-solving skills
- Support emotional well-being through open space and active exploration

Being properly equipped with waterproof clothing, will ensure that children can fully engage in these enriching activities in a safe and comfortable way; even during wetter or muddier conditions. We kindly ask that **each child has a labelled, all-in-one, waterproof suit** available to them in school.

You can purchase these at a reasonable price on Amazon using this link https://www.amazon.co.uk/Regatta-Professional-Waterproof-Breathable-Lightweight/dp/B071WMR2ND/ref=sr_1_27?adgrpid=174573630864&dib= However, we are happy for you to purchase one of your own choice, you do not have to purchase this one.



If you have any questions or concerns, or require support in sourcing suitable clothing, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of the Early Years Team. Thank you for your support in helping us provide the best possible learning experiences for your children.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Millwood
Early Years and Key Stage 1 Lead