

Shelter Building – Risk Assessment

ACTIVITY	Problem Solving - Generic
VENUE(S)	Skylark Nature Reserve, Barlow.
HAZARDS	CONTROL MEASURES
Poke	Students briefed on tree hazards
Manual handling	Safety briefing – avoidance of lifting heavy weight
Collapse of shelter	Instruction on testing shelter for stability
Slip/trip	Appropriate footwear safety brief Children briefed not to run
Objects falling from heights	Do usual check of working environment Remove any loose branches
Getting lost	Set Clear boundaries
SAFETY EQUIPMENT: No specialist equipment needed	
VENUE SPECIFIC RISKS & ADDITIONAL NOTES Weather forecast including wind strength and direction Appropriate clothing and footwear (long sleeves and long trousers if risk of contact with nettles, brambles or barbed wire etc. Use of groups where appropriate Students need clear boundaries	
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