



Safety Guidance



Early
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Inspirational
Learning

Working Safely with Woodwork

Levels of Competence & Supervision

When providing opportunities for children to use Woodwork Tools, it is ESSENTIAL to carefully assess children's levels of competence and independence, judging how much supervision the children require before any tools are introduced.

Make sure to introduce the tools and equipment carefully and show all of the children how to handle and use each tool safely. Eventually, with appropriate support and guidance, children will be able to use the woodwork tools safely.

Maintaining Tools & Woodwork Benches

Remember to check the woodwork tools regularly to ensure they are safe to use. If you notice any damage, remove them from use immediately. To keep the woodwork bench in good condition we recommend you recoat it with Non-Toxic Teak Furniture Oil twice a year. First clean the bench with an anti-bacterial spray and once dry, rub on a coat of oil and allow to sink in.

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