

# OUR 2020 VISION OF THE FUTURE



When Gloucestershire County Council transfer the Wilderness Centre to The Wilderness Project Community Interest Company, we will create an environmental education service of outstanding value to the community.



### Residential for Schools and Colleges

The Wilderness is ideally situated for :

- GCSE, A Level and HE Field Studies courses
- Early residential experiences for children
- Study of Natural History in the Forest of Dean
- Courses on local Industrial Heritage
- Personal and Social Development courses



### Day Courses for Schools and Colleges

The Wilderness provides facilities for:

- The 5 -19 Curriculum through nature
- Ecology Studies at all levels
- Nature in art, music, poetry and history
- Practical Countryside Management activities
- Learning how to live sustainably
- Work experience, placements and internships

### Professional Development and Research

Teachers and lecturers can conduct research or upgrade their professional knowledge and skills through our range of tailored courses:

- Teaching & Learning Outside the Classroom
- Raising Performance with Outdoor Learning
- Eco-Schools, Sustainable Schools, etc
- Growing Schools and Forest Schools
- Make Better Use of your School Grounds
- Global Citizenship and SMSC Enrichment
- Effective International School Partnerships

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### Families Learning to Live With Nature

Our experienced staff can provide help for families to learn how to grow and live with nature. Children can learn, alongside their parents, how to harvest and cook foods from the wild; grow their own food; reduce the waste they produce, lower energy bills and how to live sustainably.



### Community Groups Can Use Our Space

The Wilderness Project is keen to provide support and facilities for community groups of all ages, e.g. Cubs, Scouts, Guides, Aged UK, Winston's Wish, Contact A Family, The Prince's Trust, etc.

### Vacation in Our Glorious Grounds

Our Eco-Lodges will be ideal holiday bases where families can explore and enjoy the Forest of Dean. The Wilderness Project will offer environmentally based holiday experiences to enrich the visitor vacations and community summer schools.



### Making Your House an Eco-Home

Use the Wilderness Eco-House to learn about the best eco-friendly technology for your home, then find out from us how you can get it installed.

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