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**Materials:** Robinia posts, larch timber, polyhemp ropes and nets (nets by [South West Play](#))

**Costs:** Design and Construction approx. £25,000 +VAT  
(Excludes delivery/logistics. Please enquire for details)

**This design was tailor-made with the needs of the Garlick family in mind. It caters for a variety of play needs for children of different ages, incorporating elements of physical challenge as well as imaginative play and relaxation. If you would like to find out what we could do for your play project, please [contact us](#) to discuss.**

Design details:

A wheelchair accessible path leads right underneath the teepee shaped tower set around the big acer. The tower wraps around it without touching, and is designed so that it looks and feels as if it is encasing the tree.

The teepee tower holds two spaces, each on different floors. The ground level is easily accessible and leads to the lower room, big enough to accommodate an adult or several children.

A wooden climbing wall leads to the top level, which - due to the tapering shape - offers a cosy tree house den for hanging out or sleepovers.

The upper deck allows kids to be pretty high off the ground creating an exciting hide out or viewing tower.





The tower is designed so you can climb up and around it in many different ways.

On one side a wooden climbing wall leads up to a hatch, giving access to the top floor. Right around the back next to the tree trunk is a wobbly climbing wall made out of a recycled coal conveyor belt.

From the lower deck a round portal leads out onto a log climbing tangle. The tangle allows you to climb in either direction back round the walls onto the sides of the teepee or you can climb across to reach a platform made from a slice of tree trunk.

From there a slide reaches down to the lower part of the garden, where the fire circle is located next to the magnolia tree.

Leaving the tower in the other direction, a net tunnel links across to the higher terrace, which features a small lawn surrounded by logs and sensory planting. In addition, two traversing ropes connect to a hang out net - a rectangular frame set at an angle which is perfect for lounging and watching the clouds go by. From here you can overlook the whole garden.



**Interested in how this design might work in your setting? Get in touch or have a look at our [website](http://www.earthwrights.co.uk) for more inspiration.**



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