

Montessori School of Greater Hartford



Elementary Summer Days Millstream Farm

Spanish Immersion Program

June 9 - July 3





Childhood and Summer



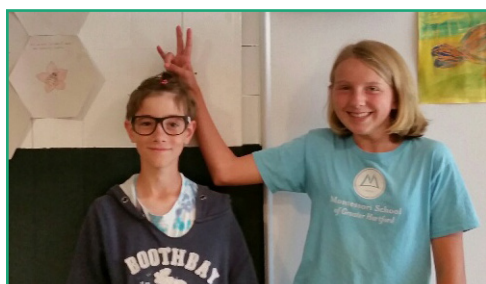
Give your child the gift of a summer spent on Millstream Farm. Home to our Adolescent Program, Millstream Farm offers 30-acres of summer memories. The pristine property includes gardens, ponds, streams, forest, wetland and pasture. Farm animals include goats, chickens, bees and sheep. This beautiful farmland abuts the 2,000-acre

Nepaug State Forest. The property's natural diversity and agricultural underpinnings open up limitless possibilities for the students' purposeful activities and joyful exploration. This program is open to all Elementary-aged students, as well as, students who have completed their Primary Cycle.

What's a Typical Week?

Every morning, your child will assist in the daily maintenance of our working farm. This includes the feeding and watering of the animals, cleaning their environments, collecting eggs from the chickens and milking the goats. Your child will delight in the hands-on exploration of zoology, botany, animal husbandry, gardening, art, hiking, river exploration, biking Connecticut's trails, Spanish, cooking, and having a summer experience unlike any other. Our Millstream campers will enjoy a bilingual camp experience, rich with cooking, language, and literature.





Transportation:

Transportation will be provided from the MSGH West Hartford Campus to and from Millstream Farm. The bus will leave West Hartford promptly at 8:00a.m. and return at 4:00p.m. daily. Families who are not utilizing transportation can drop off their children at Millstream Farm at 8:30a.m. and pick-up at the Farm at 3:30p.m. **Millstream is located at 741 Steele Road, New Hartford, CT.**

Guides:

Sarah McCabe and Nancy Rivera





Week One: Sports

Soccer-Baseball-Tag-Oh, My! Week One at camp is sports galore; we will enjoy different activities at our neighboring Brown's Corner in the afternoon. Your child will need sneakers each day to fully enjoy this week of camp.

Week Two: Art

Art is all around us in nature and during Week Two of Camp, we will use Mother Earth's inspiration to create a variety of art in diverse mediums (including tie dying, print making, and silk painting). An extra T-shirt or pair of socks for tie dying is needed for your young Picasso or Frida!

Week Three: Hiking

Leaving just our footprints, we will explore the beauty of the Connecticut hiking trails during our afternoons of Week Three. Millstream is surrounded by different marked trails and our campers will get to experience a variety of summer hiking in New England. On Friday of this week, our exploration will culminate with a trek up Talcott Mountain. Your child will need sturdy hiking shoes to scale the trails during this week at camp.

Week Four: Biking

Time to put the pedal to the metal and hit the trails during biking week at Millstream! We will ride the different biking sections of the 'Rails to Trails' biking and walking trails. Your child will need to bring his/her bike to our MSGH campus early on Monday of this week, 7:45a.m. Children will need a helmet and a bike(in good working condition). No training wheels, please.





Additional Info and Supply List

We are thrilled that your child/ren will attend our Millstream Summer Program. Reminder: if your child is taking the bus from the West Hartford Campus, the bus leaves at 8:00 a.m. (sharp!) Please plan to arrive on campus by 7:50a.m. The program begins at Millstream at 8:30a.m. Early morning drop-off is available at the West Hartford Campus.

The following is a list of items that your child needs to have on file in the Main Office:

Registration Form- This Form contains information that enables us to contact you in the event of an emergency, as well as providing a list of people who are authorized to transport your child.

Updated Health Assessment Form- The Form should be dated after 9/1/19, if one is not already on file.

Pertinent Information- Please notify the school if your child has any allergies or dietary restrictions.

The following is a list of items that your child will need to bring to the summer program on a daily basis: (Please label all personal items)

- Backpack**
- Sunscreen & Bug Repellent** (Please apply before program, daily.)
- Water Bottle**
- Hat**
- Sunglasses**
- Water Shoes**
- Boots or old shoes for barn chores**
- Closed-toed Shoes** (No flip-flops or sandals)
- Brown bag lunch** (NO NUTS, PLEASE)
- Bathing suit and towel**
- Dry Clothes**

**Please check nightly for ticks,
as your child will be on the farm and/or in the woods daily.**



Millstream Summer Program Registration Form

Child's name _____

Child's DOB _____

Parents' names _____

Home phone # _____

Parent 1 cell # _____

work # _____

Parent 2 cell # _____

work # _____

Emergency contact 1 name _____

Relationship _____ phone number _____

Emergency contact 2 name _____

Relationship _____ phone number _____

List any medications, foods, etc. to which your child is allergic:

(MSGH strives to avoid the presence of any peanuts or peanut products in the school.)

I understand that my child will be exposed to ticks and take responsibility for checking for them daily.

Check one: A health report dated after 9/1/19 is on file OR

 A health report dated after 9/1/19 is attached

I give my permission for the child named above to participate in field trips.

I understand I will be notified in advance of these outings.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

(Please complete the back of this form)

Registration Form (continued)

Registration before April 24	Registration after April 24
\$420/week	\$450/week
\$336/*week 1	\$366*week 1

Please check your desired weeks:

Early Morning Drop-Off

[] 7:30a.m. - 7:50a.m. \$25/week

Millstream

- [] Week One..... *June 9- June 12 _____
- [] Week Two June 15- June 19 _____
- [] Week Three..... June 22- June 26 _____
- [] Week Four..... June 29- July 3 _____

Total cost: _____

Full amount is due to complete registration.

***Week One is a 4-day mini week.**

Space is limited so please register early. Make check payable to MSGH or complete the online payment [here](#). We do not offer daily drop-in rate. No refunds will be given for missed days. Register today by sending the completed form to the Main Office at:

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Mission:

The Montessori School of Greater Hartford fosters a strong foundation for confident, compassionate participation in the world by nurturing each child's unique gifts, passion for learning, and independence.

As a community, we enrich families, live our diversity, and embody the Association Montessori Internationale standards of excellence.