

Little Sprout's Summer Class
by Flinchbaugh's Orchard and Farm Market

Summer 2017
Wednesday's, June 14-August 9
Morning & Evening class times available!



Are you looking for something fun and exciting for your kids this summer?

Join us for Little Sprouts! A nine week summer class full of hands-on activities, lessons, crafts, farm walks and snacks for children ages 3-9!

Classes will be held **every** Wednesday from June 14 to August 9. We will have **three** class sessions each Wednesday (9:00-10:30am, 11:00-12:30pm and 5:00-6:30pm). All classes will meet under the pavilion at Flinchbaugh's Orchard and Farm Market. Check-in will begin 15 minutes before each class.

Our goal is to offer the best learning experience for each child. Depending on registrations, we may cap classes for specific times/ weeks. We also may split the classes into groups based on ages.

You MUST pre-register for EVERY class you plan on attending!
For Early Bird Pricing - Registration & Payment is Due June 7, 2017

Class Fees: Early Bird Discount \$8 per child per class if paid by June 7!
OR \$10 per child per class if paid day of class.

Classes will be taught by PA certified teachers and assistants with clearances.

Class Schedule

Take Note: You do not need to attend every class. You can pick and choose.

June 13: Wiggly Worms Make Compost

We will determine what compost is and the class will make a worm bin that they will inspect on a weekly basis! The compost will be used in our final class.

June 21: The Soil We Grow In

We will dig a variety of holes around the farm and identify different soil types. We will learn to appreciate the importance of our Earth's soil.

June 28: The Little Red Hen

Based on the story, we will follow the harvest of wheat in season. Kids will thresh and grind their own into flour. The flour will be baked into bread.

July 5: Dig 'Em Up

Roots grow everywhere! Kids will observe different types of roots and learn which ones we can eat too.

July 12: Eggs. From Hen to Home

Where do our eggs come from? And why are some white, blue and brown? We'll also learn how nutritious eggs are too.



July 19: Flower Power

Using a sunflower, we will learn about how they grow and develop. We'll discover uses for sunflower seeds and even make a paper plate sunflower!

July 26: Tomato Trivia

We'll visit the high tunnel and discover where tomatoes grow, while practicing our counting and measuring skills.

August 2: Fruits of Our Labor

Kids will discover how their favorite fresh fruits can be dried and preserved for later use. We'll make our own raisins from grapes and snitz from apples.

August 9: Little Sprouts Picnic

We are celebrating the end of a super fun summer! We'll have a farm picnic and enjoy a wagon ride into the Orchard where we will pick our own peaches to take home and enjoy!

Children who attend six or more Little Sprouts classes will receive a special reward at the final Little Sprouts class on Wednesday, August 9!

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How do I register my child for Little Sprouts?

A: Complete the attached registration form and drop it off or mail it to Flinchbaugh's Orchard and Farm Market. You may also email your form to us! Remember to receive the Early Bird Discount, you must pay for classes by June 7!

Mail to: Little Sprouts 110 Ducktown Rd, Hellam, PA 17406

Email: enjoy@flinchbaughsorchard.com

Q: Can I register for Little Sprouts after June 7, 2017?

A: Yes, you can still register and pay after June 7 but each class will cost \$10 per child. We also ask that you please let us know as far in advance as possible that your child will be attending.

Q: Does my child need to bring anything with them to Little Sprouts?

A: Children are not required to bring anything with them, but we do encourage everyone to bring a water bottle and wear comfortable walking shoes (preferably sneakers)!

Q: Do I need to stay while my child participates in Little Sprouts?

A: We ask that a parent or guardian stay with children ages 3-6 during all classes. However, all parents are welcome to stay with their child!

Q: What if it rains on the day of Little Sprouts?

A: We will still have Little Sprouts! We will stay under the pavilion and complete our activities.

Please contact us if you have any other questions!

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