

# Farming Foundations

## A tour for all ages

### Learning with Wonder and Joy

Concepts, outlined in the Ontario Science, Health and Language curriculums, are explored through hands on, interactive, age appropriate activities. We aim to ignite the children's wonder and curiosity in the world around them. We'll keep them as busy as our bees!



**Investigate the characteristics and needs of living things while planting or harvesting crops in our fields and visiting our farm animals.**



**Observe the growth and changes in the plant's and animal's life cycles.**



**Dig deeper into soil- how does the farmer take care of it and be sustainable**



**Identify the cycles on the farm - farm to fork, nutrient, water and seasons**



### Spring Awakening

(May till early July)

Spring is filled with the promise of renewal. There are lots of babies to visit this time of year. Students will plant a strawberry plant to take home. Once strawberry season begins (approx. late June) you may pick strawberries, (weather and crop permitting).



### Fall Is Harvest Time

(September- mid November)

Experience the bounty of the harvest as the crops picked from our fields overflow in bins and bushels. Harvest is the focus and we have 2 options available.



**"Stone Soup" themed tour - Integrate harvest and community while picking a variety of vegetables OR**



**Focus on pumpkins - each student picks their own pie pumpkin**

Fun ramps up as you get lost in our corn maze, pick from our fields and visit the farm animals. Each teacher receives a free pumpkin and gourd for their classroom.



### Summer Fun (July, August)

Pick, Play, Learn - Check out our Summer Fun Flyer for details.










### Book your tour

Call Leslie at 905-887-1086 or email us at [forsythefamilyfarmtours@gmail.com](mailto:forsythefamilyfarmtours@gmail.com)  
[ForsytheFamilyFarms.com](http://ForsytheFamilyFarms.com)

### Farms Are Fun!

All tours include

-  **Friendly, informative instructors**
-  **Inquiry based, hands on activities**
-  **Flexible starting times**
-  **A wagon ride around our fields**
-  **Playtime in our Barnyard**
-  **Adventure playground**
-  **Relevant take home classroom materials and colouring sheet/person**

### Giving Garden

We have set aside a 1½ acre garden plot to provide the opportunity to grow generosity and give service to others. Students can participate in the growing and harvesting of vegetables to give away to hungry families in need.



### The Nitty Gritty

Our tours are fully guided and customizable.

Select from 2, 3 or 4 hours in duration.

We allow 1 adult: 5 students free. Attendants for students with special needs are free.

A non-refundable deposit equal to our minimum charge of 20 participants confirms your booking. Dress for the weather; tours are mostly outdoors and go rain or shine. Contact us or check out our website for current availability and pricing.

### Check us out

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