



2024 Forsythe Family Farm Tours

Come and explore our farm!

Our outdoor experiences aim to spark the children's sense of wonder and curiosity about farming and the natural world.

Engaging, inquiry-driven, hands-on activities keep learning fun for all ages and learning styles.

As students dig into the workings of our farm, they'll gain a deeper knowledge and understanding of where their food comes from, empowering them to make healthier food choices.

Our mission is to nurture the farming connection, revealing the significance of farms in the student's everyday lives.

The "Nitty Gritty" of our Farm Tours



Activities in our [Farming Foundations](#) AND [Farm and Forest](#) tours are geared to the age and abilities of your students and incorporate the relevant curriculum objectives.

Tours are available from May to November highlighting the seasons on our farm. All our tours include a seasonal take-home item of what the children pick or plant.

Two and three-hour tours are available. Our most popular tour length is 3 hours. This gives the students time to fully enjoy all the farm has to offer including time for lunch and play. It also works well with bus schedules.

Farming Foundations (all ages)

2-hour tour - \$12.50 each+ HST

3-hour tour-\$13.50 each+ HST

Farm and Forest (grades 1 plus)

3-hour tour - \$14.50 each + HST

For adequate supervision - we allow one adult free for every 5 students (this includes teachers and assistants). Adults accompanying children with special needs are free.

To confirm your booking date - a deposit equal to the minimum charge of 20 students per group (a purchase order number if a TDSB school) is required.

✓ [Request a Tour](#)

Our tours are led by enthusiastic farm educators experienced in making learning stick!



Upon your arrival, our farm educators will be greeting you at your bus. They will accompany your group for the entire tour, working closely with you to ensure that your tour aligns with your classroom objectives.



Tours proceed rain or shine!

Children and adults need to dress for the weather conditions on the

day of their tour.

Our farm can be cooler, windier, and muddier than urban areas.

We stay outdoors in the fresh air as much as possible, keeping in mind the children's well-being and safety.

On unfavorable weather days - indoor lunch and activity space is available.



Nature breeds curiosity;
it helps to grow explorers
rather than robots.

It reminds us that we are part
of something bigger.
It grounds us, calms us.

STEPHEN MOSS

Take home more than memories – Take home delicious!

Our on-farm market can be an integral part of your tour. It shows your students the variety of seasonal, Ontario-grown fruits and vegetables available. Conversations about the difference between our market and a grocery store deepen the understanding of eating locally grown.

The seasons are evident in the produce available on our farm.

Our *farm market* is open for business during your visit.

From Farm to Tablet – Enjoy our Online Farm Education Video Program

You will receive free access to our online educational videos [Lessons from the Farm – Package 1](#) (2 videos) for one month when you book our Farming Foundations tour. Our Farm and Forest tour gives you access to Package 2 (4 videos), and Grades 3, and 4 have access to Package 3 (all 6 videos).



Viewing the lessons before you visit familiarizes your students with the farm and enhances their comfort level. It's a valuable review of their day exploring the farm when viewing them after your tour.

Resources and worksheets are included for students to dig deeper into the concepts covered.

✓ [Find out more about our Online Video Education Programs](#)

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Come! Get outside and explore our farm!

