

AUTUMN AT CITY GREEN

FIELD TRIP MENU



City Green Field Trips take place at our learning gardens in either Clifton or Paterson. As students rotate through activity stations, they will get to taste seasonal produce, observe farm animals and native wildlife such as insects, animals, and plants, practice sustainable gardening, and have a lot of fun outdoors!

You can select one of the three field trip options listed below!

THE CHANGING COLORS OF FALL

Let's observe how the seasons change by looking at native trees and their falling leaves! Your students will taste the sweet taste of fall by pressing local apples into fresh apple cider, and get their hands dirty by planting cool-weather crops in our fall garden.

Relevant Standards: K-PS3-1, K-ESS2-1, 1-ESS1-2, 2-LS2-1.



OUR LOCAL BIRDS AND THEIR SONGS

Come explore the garden as a habitat as we meet our neighborhood birds! Your students will learn to identify the calls of local birds and use gathered seeds to make pine cone bird feeders. They will also get their hands dirty by planting crops in our fall garden.

Relevant Standards: K-LS1-1, 1-LS1-1, 2-LS2-2, 2-LS4-1.



DIGGING INTO DIRT

Let's explore the world beneath our feet as we dig into dirt! Your students will learn about the components of soil through a soil shake, and meet our wriggling worms who turn vegetable scraps into compost. They will also learn how to plant cover crop seeds to protect soil from winter erosion.

Relevant Standards: K-ESS3-3, 1-LS1-1, 2-PS1-1



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SPRING AT CITY GREEN

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GROWING PLANTS - FROM SEED TO HARVEST

Come and explore the science of plant growth from seed to harvest! Your students will observe the parts of the seed and how they grow through dissection and spring gardening activities. They will also learn the parts of the plant by making a garden-fresh meal!

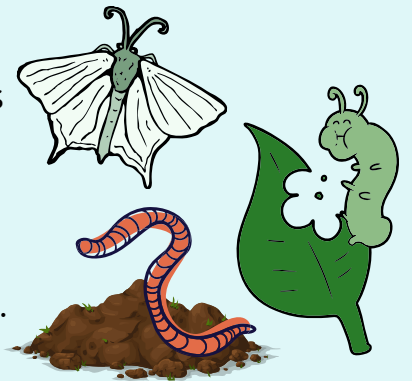
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HUNTING FOR INSECTS

Let's learn the different roles insects play in the gardens as pests, pollinators, and decomposers! Your students will be insect detectives in the garden by examining leaves for signs of damage, digging in the compost bin for decomposers, and watching flowers as they are pollinated.

Relevant Standards: K-ESS3-1, K-ESS3-3, 1-LS1-1, 2-LS2-2



USING OUR SENSES IN THE GARDEN

Let your senses guide the way as we discover the garden by touch, taste, smell, sound, and sight! Your students will inhale the calming power of herbs, taste a rainbow of vegetables, and see the world through the eyes of a pollinator!

Relevant Standards: K-ESS3-3, 1-PS4-3, 2-PS1-1



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