

The Garden's Gate Program

FALL 2016 REGISTRATION



Waldorf School
of Cape Cod

Please see reverse side for program overview.

Child's Full Name _____ Gender _____ Date of Birth _____

Please list any food allergies or medical issues: _____

Parent's Name(s) _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Home Phone and Work or Cell Phone _____

E-Mail Address _____

List siblings that will be attending (over 1yr, sibling rate is 50%) _____

Please list your class preference below, #1, #2, etc. If the session you prefer is full, we will contact you to determine if you would like to register for a different day, if applicable. A minimum of 4 participants is needed to run a class.

___ BLOOM outdoor	Wed, 9-11am	2.5 yrs. +	10 wks (Sep 27-Dec 6)	No class Nov 22
___ SEEDLING toddler	Thurs, 9-11am	crawling-2yrs	10 wks (Sep 29-Dec 8)	No class Nov 24
___ BLOSSOM preschool	Fri, 9-11am	2 yrs.-3.5yrs	10 wks (Sep 30-Dec 9)	No class Nov 25
___ *SPROUT infant		3 mos.-crawling	to be determined	

COST: Pre-payment is required. The cost for one parent and child participant is \$180 for 8-weeks. *SPROUT Infant classes are a \$80 for a 10 week session. If you have two children, you should register for the class appropriate for the OLDER child. **Siblings under 1 year of age may accompany the parent and the older child at no additional cost. Siblings over 1 year of age may register with the older sibling at a 50% discount.** There is no discount applied when registering for an additional class (two days per week). Registering for an additional class per session is only available based on availability. The determination will be made the week before classes begin. Also, please speak with the Enrollment Director in advance if you would like both parents attend classes.

PAYMENT: Pre-payment is required and registrations are processed on a first-come, first-serve basis. Please return this registration form with your check payable to the Waldorf School of Cape Cod.

WITHDRAWAL: You must provide us with 30 day written notice if you need to withdraw from a class. A prorated refund will be issued less a \$15 administrative fee.

CLASS CANCELLATION: In the event the teacher cannot attend class, a suitable substitute will be found or the class will be cancelled. There is a make up week at the end of each session (except for SPROUT classes). You will be notified by phone if there is a teacher-related cancellation. Weather cancellations will be posted on our website and on our automated voicemail at school. The Garden's Gate Program follows the school cancellation policy so please check from home during inclement weather.

Please remember to sign and date your registration form below and attach your payment. Thank you!

Parent Signature

Date

The Garden's Gate

Parent & Child Class Program

The Garden's Gate Parent and Child Program provides families with an opportunity to explore and share the wondrous and often challenging journey of parenting. Weekly classes allow for building community as parents observe their children engaged in play which is the "work" of a young child. Our experienced early childhood Waldorf teachers strive to create a mood of support and care for parents and children alike as we consider a variety of parenting topics from creating nurturing routines, healthy sleep patterns, good nutrition to setting age appropriate boundaries and understanding the developmental stages of a young child. We follow the natural rhythm of the seasons as we together watch our children unfold and grow. Thoughtful conversation and questions help create an environment of continued discovery.

Want to learn more? Visit a class on us!

The first two weeks of every session (Fall, Winter, Spring) are visiting days.

Fall 2016: visit the weeks of September 26th and October 3rd.

Please pre-register for visiting days 508-420-1005

SPROUT (3 months old to crawling) Parents take time during this class to observe and enjoy their babies in the company of other new parents. The parent educator provides support and information and facilitates discussion on a variety of parenting topics. Practical tips and activities are shared including singing lullabies, reciting soothing rhymes and verses and doing simple infant massage. The class promotes connection with your baby and other new parents in a soothing and relaxed environment.

SEEDLING (crawling to 2 years) Children on-the-go engage in interactive and creative play with a variety of handmade toys and natural objects while parents observe, share and work on simple craft. They come together around the table for snack, share in a simple circle and play outside.

BLOSSOM (2 years to 3.5 years) Blossom children are entering the world of social play and this class gives them their first experience with the rhythms of a Waldorf Early Childhood class. They negotiate how to play and learn together in a nurturing and safe place. Parents work on crafts together and discuss parenting topics.

BLOOM (2.5 to 5 years) Experience the popular phenomenon of a "forest classroom" adapted for parent and child. Spend time in this outdoor class exploring our beautiful woodlands at a child's pace. Share in a story and song circle and snack outside together surrounded by the beauty and wonder of nature. Dress for all weather. Winter session will be nature-oriented, and indoor/outdoor, weather permitting.