



Connecting People with Nature
through Science and the Arts

The Green Center's Nature Play Programs: **Spring 2025**

Our "nature play" programs reconnect children to nature and offer them experiences to explore, discover and interact with the natural environment. Connecting children to nature has beneficial effects on a child's health, development and well being. Sign up your child for one, two or all of these programs!

Bee-ware...It's April Fools' Day!

Tuesday, April 1 (ages 4-10)

Bees are pollinators, architects, scouts and so much more! Visit our local beehive and learn all about bees. Students will also get to sample honey from our hive.

Nature's Sketchbook: Spring Edition

Tuesday, April 8 (ages 4-10)

Spring wildflowers are the harbinger of spring and are fun to find if you know where to search! Learn where they grow and why they are important to pollinators & birds. You will use these flowers to create your first spring sketchbook entry!

Green Thumbs Up

Tuesday, April 15 (ages 4-10)

It's never too early to discover a green thumb for planting! Learn how plants grow, decorate a flower pot and plant your own seeds to take home to enjoy!

EARTH DAY: Speak for the Trees!

Tuesday, April 22 (ages 4-10)

Find out the importance of trees by reading "The Lorax" by Dr. Seuss and discover the different kinds of trees around the Center.

Trail Trekking

Tuesday, April 29 (ages 4-10)

Hike our forest trail to discover what belongs in the Forest and what does not. Use your observation skills to complete the trek!

The Wonder You See

Tuesday, May 06 (ages 4-10)

Take a walk in nature around our Center to learn how to slow down and ask questions, use your senses and be curious about wonder all around you!

To register for a class, contact:

Kathleen at 314-725-8314 X 105 or classes@thegreencenter.org

Time: 4:00-5:00pm

Cost: \$8 per student/program

Location: The Green Center 8025 Blackberry Ave, St. Louis, MO 63130

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