



2021-2022 Nature Connect Application

Friday Nature Connect Program for Grade 1 to 8 students

Student Information:

Child's Full Legal Name:

First

Middle

Last

Date of Birth: _____ **Gender Identity:** Female Male
(yyyy/mm/dd) (Ministry of Education reporting requirement)

Primary Address: _____
Street City Prov. Postal Code

Phone: _____ **Health Card #:** _____

Current Grade and School:

Public School _____ Private School _____ Homeschooling
(Name) (Name)

Known Allergies:

All students with anaphylactic allergies are requested to complete an Individual Allergy Plan.

Known medical conditions or current medication:

Please advise if medication will need to be taken/administered at school.

Parent/Guardian Information:

Name of Parent/Guardian (A): _____

Address (if different from above): _____

Home telephone: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

E-mail*: _____

Occupation: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian (B): _____

Address (if different from above): _____

Home telephone: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

E-mail*: _____

Occupation: _____

**Please note that your email addresses will be added to the school's mailing list, which is used to provide families with updates and news throughout the year.*

Child lives with: Both Parents Mother only Father only Other (please specify) _____

Are there any custodial arrangements which the school should be made aware of? Yes or No

If yes please specify: _____

Alternate Emergency Contact: (In the event that we are unable to reach parent(s)/guardian(s))

Name: _____

Relationship to child: _____

Phone Number(s): _____

In the event that the child, named above, requires hospital care in my/our absence, I/we authorize the staff of Polaris School and Centre to act on my/our behalf to ensure necessary immediate emergency treatment for my/our child.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Relationship to child

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Relationship to child

Date

Pick Up Authorization: Please list any additional individuals who are authorized to pick up your child.

Apart from parents(s)/guardian(s) listed above, the following individuals may pick up my child.

Name:

Relationship to child:

Phone Number:

Additional Information:

Language(s) spoken at home: _____

Dietary restrictions? _____

Sibling Information:

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

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Tell us about your child: (The more we know, the easier it is to make their experience a success.)

Nature Connect is a one-day outdoor program dedicated to sparking curiosity, wonder and reverence for the natural world, through meaningful experiences. This program takes place outdoors. Being present in the seasonal elements is a core fundamental of the program. Spending time outside in all types of weather fosters resilience and is a crucial part of children's growth.

What do you hope your child will receive from this program?

Describe your child in a few words. _____

What are your child's interests or hobbies? _____

Please describe your child's experience with nature/outdoors to date? _____

How would you describe your child's social/emotional development? _____

Please describe your child's fine and gross motor development. Have there been any challenges? _____

Does your child have any health conditions that we should be aware of? _____

Have you ever sought counselling or a professional evaluation for your child?

Yes No

If yes, please provide relevant details: _____

Is there anything else that you feel we should know about your child?

Nature Connect Program:

How did you hear about the Nature Connect Program?

- | | | |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Current or former Polaris parent | <input type="checkbox"/> Friend, family or neighbour | <input type="checkbox"/> Polaris Website |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flyer/Poster | <input type="checkbox"/> Facebook | <input type="checkbox"/> Instagram |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Internet Search | <input type="checkbox"/> Polaris Mailing List | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____ | | |

Fees and Payment: Fall Term 2021

- \$550 Fall Term (10 classes) – October 1st to December 17th, 8:30 am to 2:30 pm
- \$495 Winter Term (9 classes) – January 7th to March 4th, 8:30 am to 2:30 pm
- \$660 Spring Term (12 classes) – March 25th to June 17th, 8:30 am to 2:30 pm

Payment Plan:

- 50% non-refundable deposit due with registration form to secure your child’s spot.
- Remaining 50% due before the 1st day of class.

Payment Options:

- e-transfer to OttawaWaldorfPrograms@gmail.com (Note that no password is needed, it will be deposited automatically into our bank account and under our legal name 10787671 Canada Association)
- cheque made out to Polaris School and Centre

Terms of Registration:

We acknowledge that by signing below;

- We understand that we are registering our child for a full Term of Nature Connect and that we will not be reimbursed for any classes missed during this time and that the deposit is non-refundable.

- We have read Polaris School and Centre’s COVID-19 Health and Safety Policy and are aware that we are to complete the online screening questionnaire each Friday morning before attending school to confirm our child’s ability to participate that day.
- Unless we have indicated to the contrary below, we are aware that Polaris School and Centre may **use our child’s photograph or pictures of their projects in any external marketing** (advertisements, brochures, open house, website, etc. *Note: children will NOT be identified by name on any print or web material.*
 - NO** - Polaris School and Centre may not use my/our child(ren)’s photographs for external marketing.
 - NO** – Polaris School and Centre may not use photos of my/our child(ren)’s work or art or put it on display.

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Signature

Date

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Date

Registration Checklist:

To secure your child’s spot in the program please ensure you submit the following:

- Completed & signed registration form. Sent via email to admissions@polarisschool.ca or via mail to the address below.
- Included the deposit with your application (cheque or e-transfer sent to OttawaWaldorfPrograms@gmail.com).

All information in this form will be treated as confidential and will be accessible only to the Faculty and Staff at the Polaris School and Centre.

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