

Overlook Farm Fieldtrip Information

(Heifer International) Rutland MA

Sunday, May 24th

Parents,

We are planning a field trip to the Heifer Farm in Rutland, Ma! We would like the Preschool and Kindergarten children (accompanied by a parent) and grades 1 to 4 to join us. The details are outlined below. We need to make an advance deposit, so please confirm your plans to attend by March 18th.

Trip Details:

Date-

Sunday, May 24 (Memorial Day weekend)

Time-

Meet at Christ Church at 8:30am. Program begins at Overlook Farm in Rutland, MA at 10:00am and lasts 2.5 hours. We will return to Christ Church at approximately 3:00pm

Lunch-

Children would bring a bagged lunch to eat in the picnic area at Overlook Farm. Water bottles and sunscreen are recommended!

Program Information-This program is designed to introduce people to the benefits of animals to people. Children will explore a few of Heifer's Global Village sites and learn about the benefits of livestock using the 7 M's (Milk, Manure, Meat, Material, Money, Motivation, and Muscle) through hands-on activities like spinning wool in Peru, collecting eggs in the USA, or milking a goat. Children will also learn how animals play an essential role in a sustainable farming system by learning how Heifer uses some of the 7 M's in the gardens! Children will also tour the barnyard to see many farm animals. (Activities may vary by season.)

In Peace,
Nicole and Amy