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NEW YORK BOTANICAL GARDEN



Bring curriculum concepts to life through our GreenSchool Children's Education programs in the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory and among the Garden Grounds Collections.

For more information visit <https://www.nybg.org/schools-teachers/>. To register call 718.817.8181.

Hands-On Plant Science Workshops at the GreenSchool in the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory

Times: 10–11:30 a.m. or 11:45 a.m.–1:15 p.m.

- Flowers in the Life Cycle
- The Water Cycle
- Photosynthesis

Interactive GreenSchool Guided Indoor Tours at the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory

Times: 10:15–11:15 a.m. or 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

- Plant Growth Investigation Tour

Interactive GreenSchool Guided Outdoor Nature Walks

Times: 10:15–11:15 a.m. or 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

- 50-Acre Thain Family Forest Walk
- Native Plant Garden Walk

NYBG Seasonal Special Exhibitions

- Holiday Train Show® and Patterns in Plants
(January 2—12, 2018 only)
Times: 10–11:30 a.m. or 11:45 a.m.–1:15 p.m.
- The Orchid Show
(March 6 – April 20, 2018)
Times: 10:15–11:15 a.m. or 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

How to Register

Before You Call

Make sure you have the following information ready for registering when you call: 718.817.8181

- Your UA Class Visit Admission Voucher number
- Name of the program/s you would like your students to attend
- Number of classes and contact information for each participating teacher that will be attending the program
- List of multiple preferred dates in case your first choice is full
- Number of adult chaperones (see below)

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Class Size and Special Needs

In order for students to have the best learning experience, combining classes is not allowed.

Our class sizes are as follows:

- Grades 1–8: up to 32 students, 1 adult per 7 students
- Self-Contained Pre-K–8: up to 12 students, 1 adult per 2 students

The numbers of classes that can be accommodated vary by program. Please contact the registration office for details on bringing multiple classes: 718.817.8181. Please share information with us about any special considerations to help ensure a successful field trip experience.

Before Arrival

You will be e-mailed a map with specific entrance and exit procedures for the school group entrance, the Everett Garden Gate. Please consult these materials before arrival. If your group is traveling on more than one bus, please make sure that a teacher on each bus receives this information. Please advise registration staff if you will be taking public transportation.

Arrival

Please arrive 15 minutes early to check in and get to your specific program location. All school buses should stop at the Garden's school group entrance, the Everett Garden Gate, located on Southern Boulevard across from Fordham University. From there, they will be directed to either disembark or proceed to a different location. Bus parking is not available within the Garden. However, there is street parking along Southern Boulevard. All programs will end at the originally scheduled time. Groups arriving more than one-half hour late will be cancelled. No refunds are available. School groups are not permitted to board the Tram.

Inclement Weather

Programs run rain or shine unless officially cancelled due to weather emergencies. Please have students dress appropriately for the weather. If you choose to reschedule, please call by 8:30 a.m.: 718.817.8181.

Accessibility

The Botanical Garden, its buildings, and its tour vehicles are accessible. Due to the Garden's varied topography, portions of the historic landscape may be inaccessible. Please notify the Registration office of any special needs at least 48 hours in advance of your visit.

Lunch

All school groups must bring lunches. There are no indoor lunch facilities. School groups are invited to eat in the Clay Family Picnic Pavilions located near the Everett Garden Gate. School groups are not allowed in the Garden dining facilities.