



Summer at ThistleWaithe

BRIDGE ** NATURE PATHS ** TODDLER CAMPS



Come along, join the amble! See the briars and the bramble.

Hear the hum and drone of the bee. Look above! What do we see?

A hawk soars on the summer breezes, an effortless flight that coaxes and teases.

Let's fly up toward that endless blue. Summertime at ThistleWaithe...so very much to do!

The summer programs at ThistleWaithe provide a safe environment for fearless learning and adventure! For new families, this is a wonderful introduction to the magic environment of the school where they can meet new friends and feels the embrace of programs that connect them with the majesty of the outdoors.

From foreign language to crafts, from gardening to climbing and running with the wind, each child spends their day unlocking the mysteries of the world under the care of ThistleWaithe teachers and staff. All sessions are five days, with Toddler Camp and Nature Paths offering half- and full-day options. COVID safety protocols will be firmly in place, and camp size also will be limited to pods of 14-15 children for our 3-6 year old children, and 10 for our toddlers.

Children in our 3-6 year old camps **MUST** be fully toilet-trained. Read on for details about these programs and plan to join us for a summer of discovery! Simply complete and return the Camp Application, along with payment, to Miss Gina by March 15 to reserve your child's spot.

Bridge Camp

3-6 years old

June 14-18

Wondering what to do for those first weeks after ThistleWaithe's school year ends? Search no more as this morning program continues the learning lessons of your child's classroom. Using Montessori materials and the vast outdoor environment, children will hone their skills and step into summer with focus and energy!

Camp Italia!

3-6 years old

June 21-June 25

Miss Adriana structures this half-day program to introduce children to the art, architecture, and culture of Italy! Language lessons, cuisine tasting, and daily "excursions" to many regions of Italy will captivate your child and launch them on a voyage to becoming a true global citizen.

Nature Paths

3-6 years old

June 28-July 30

Adventurous children will spend their days on various projects ranging from gardening to forest scavenger hunts to pond study. Art projects, baking, music and movement, and academic skill-building mesh to provide a balanced day of learning, exploration, and friendship! Half-day and full-day availability.

Week 1: Fairies and Elves

Week 2: Buzz and Flutter

Week 3: Pollinator Pathway

Week 4: Wheels and Motors

Week 5: Pond and Wetlands



TODDLER SUMMER SPLENDOR

June 28-July 30



Toddler Camp

18 months-3 years old

For the very youngest of learners, a ThistleWaithe summer provides abundant opportunity for rich learning and wondrous discovery. The "graduating" toddlers will have ample opportunity to continue to develop their skills while savoring the enchantment of the outdoor learning environment. Our newest toddlers will experience a safe and loving introduction to their new home. Water play, tent adventures, movement and music, and gardening projects will captivate everyone and fill the mornings with joyful challenges. Camp will be in a pod of 10, maximum. Half- and full-day availability!