

# Grow With Us!

Learn more about  
Parker's Toddler &  
Parent Forest Program



*"These are the moments when the world is made whole. In my children's memories, the adventures we've had together in nature will always exist."*

— Richard Louv, author of *Last Child in the Woods*

## Entirely Outdoor Programs at Parker

Children develop tremendously between **18 and 36 months**. The foundation provided by a toddler program supports future learning with ample and appropriate sensory, social, and language development experiences.

## Learner Led, Teacher Supported

Parker's rich and diverse outdoor environment sets the stage for wonder and curiosity. Our teachers let students follow their imaginations and give them freedom to explore. Our mixed-age groups give the children —and their parents — a chance to learn from each other.

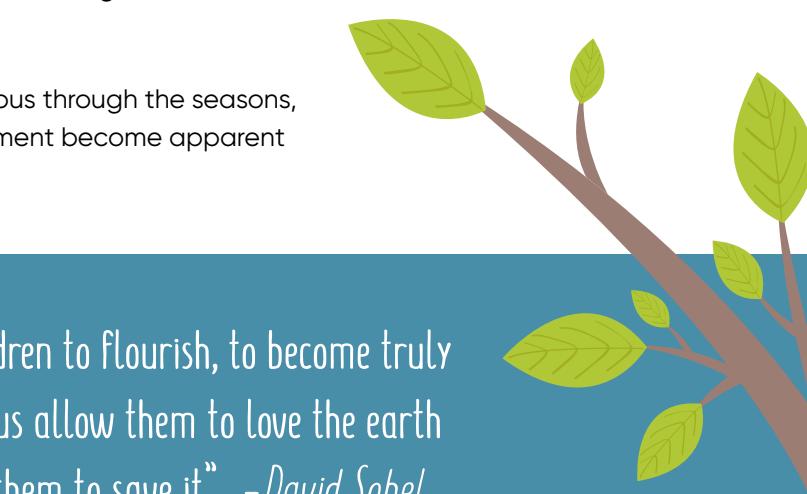
There is an intrinsic relationship between children and nature. Children who spend time outside develop confidence, agility, balance, spatial awareness, as well as the social and emotional skills of kindness and empathy. Being outside supports skills necessary for later learning.

## Observe Small Miracles

As children notice and explore the rich and diverse campus through the seasons, small miracles of nature and child development become apparent to child and adult alike.



*"If we want children to flourish, to become truly empowered, let us allow them to love the earth before we ask them to save it". -David Sobel*



# Experience the seasons with your young child at Parker!

Tuesday or Thursday mornings 10:30am – 12:00pm.

**Tuesdays**

- Session 1 September 12, 19, 26; October 3, 10
- Session 2 October 17, 24, 31; November 7, 14
- Session 3\* November 28; December 5, 12, 19
- Session 4\* January 9, 16, 23, 30
- Session 5 February 6, 13, 27; March 5, 12
- Session 6 March 19, 26; April 9, 16, 23
- Session 7 April 30; May 7, 14, 21, 28

**Thursdays**

- Session 1 September 14, 21, 28; October 5, 12
- Session 2 October 19, 26; November 2, 9, 16
- Session 3\* November 30; December 7, 14, 21
- Session 4 January 4, 11, 18, 25; February 1
- Session 5 February 8, 15, 29; March 7, 14
- Session 6 March 21, 28; April 11, 18, 25
- Session 7 May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

\*short session

## Program Tuition

\$150 for each 5 week session (\$120 for the 4 week sessions) for toddlers 18 to 36 months.



“Play gives children a chance to practice what they are learning.”

- Fred Rogers

Registration is open for all sessions. **REGISTER**

## Parker Mission Statement

Robert C. Parker School engages each student in a thoughtful and challenging learning process that inspires curiosity and a passion to achieve, nurtures confidence and community, and cultivates purposeful action.

### Robert C. Parker School

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*Serving students 18 months to 8th grade*

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