



# Exploring Nature with Young Children



offered by The Glass Garden at Rusk Institute NYU Medical Center

- For:
- Schools
  - Day Care Centers
  - Camps

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## Time

Time slots are filling fast. Please call 212/263-6058 for reservations and class selection. Classes are held weekdays from:

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
or  
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

If you want to come early or leave late, picnic space is available. Please bring blankets and bag lunches.

*Classes take place rain or shine.*

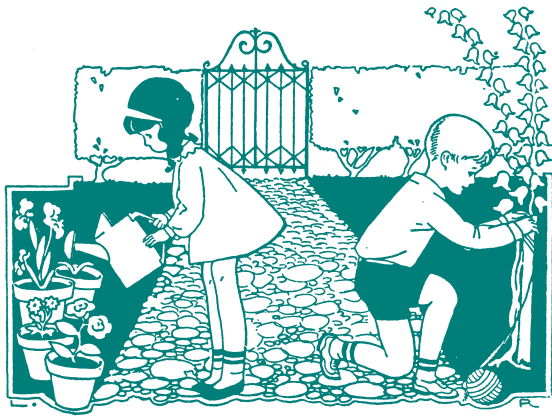
## Fees

\$75.00 for up to 12 children.  
Add \$5 for each additional participant.  
All supplies are included.  
Make checks payable to:  
*The Glass Garden, Rusk Institute*

## Location

The Glass Garden is located off the Rusk Institute lobby at 400 East 34th Street, between 1st Avenue and the East River in New York City. It is convenient to the Lexington IRT local stop at 33rd Street and Park Avenue, and to stops on the M34, M15, or M16 city buses.



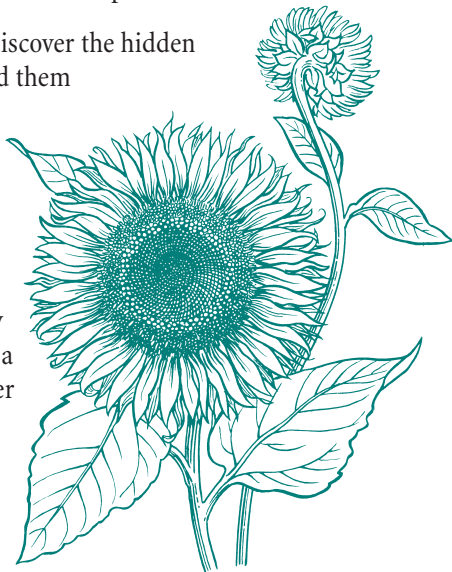


The Glass Garden is happy to offer unique field trips to the Rusk Children's PlayGarden for children's groups ages three to ten.

These trips are designed to add an exciting component to any school, daycare or camp program by introducing science and nature to young children.

Classes take place in the award-winning garden at Rusk Institute and include explorations and hands-on activity with a take home product.

Children will discover the hidden delights around them through storytelling, puppetry, crafts, bug tracking and other fun activities. They will leave with a sense of wonder and curiosity about the natural world.



## Please make your selection from the following:

### Flying, Squirming and Crawling

- Lucky Lady Bugs
- Wiggling Worms
- Feeding our Feathered Friends

### Sweets At Our Feet

- Berry Bonanza
- Choco Creation
- Mushy Mallows
- Awesome Apples

### ABCs Among the Trees

Choose a number from one to nine, a letter, a color, and a shape at the time of registration. Your lesson will be designed around this theme.

### Nature Artists

Nature supplies us with unlimited inspiration for art projects. Printmaking with flowers, growing sculptures, and leaf collages created by the sun are some art projects inspired by the garden.

### Growing Garden Groceries

- Terrific Tomatoes
- Beans, Beans, Beans
- Pumpkin Patch
- Crafty Corn

### Zesty Flavors and Savory Smells

- Bountiful Basil
- Marvelous Mint
- Garlic the Great

### Garden Pharmacy

- All Aloe
- Glorious Ginger
- Lovely Lavender

### We Are What We Eat

- Seasonal Snacks
- Catch-up With Ketchup
- Plants of Iron
- Do You "C" What I "C"

### By Request

If you have a special topic you would like your lesson to focus on, ask at the time of registration. We will do our best to accommodate.

### Classes are run by the professional staff of the Glass Garden and include:

**Megan Driscoll, BFA/MS** Megan uses both art and horticulture to benefit the development of children.

**Gwenn Fried**, on staff since 1997, specializes in program development for children and adults.

**Kate Levy** is a plant science major at Rutgers University and has experience in children's day care and camp programs.

