



Maine Mountain Children's House

Parent Participation Form

MMCH asks each family to contribute **10 hours of volunteer time** during the year as part of their commitment to the school. Our hope is that this volunteer time helps us connect to one another which can only strengthen your child's learning environment. In addition, with the help of our parents, we are able to help keep tuition affordable for as many families as possible. Please take a few moments to indicate your areas of interest and return this form with your other enrollment forms.

Name(s) _____

Please choose an area in which your family would like to volunteer:

Substitute Teaching

- MMCH may ask parents to volunteer as substitutes in our classrooms if a teacher is ill or otherwise unable to come to school.
 - Toddler classroom, days available: _____
 - Primary classroom, days available: _____
 - After School Care, days available: _____

Fundraising

- join the fundraising committee
 - help facilitate the annual Maine Mountain Harvest Festival fundraiser (last Saturday in September)
 - help generate and help facilitate other fundraiser ideas throughout the year
- join the grant committee
 - assist with searching for and writing grants

Marketing

- publicity (distribute posters)
- write press releases and/or articles about the school for local newspapers
- write blog posts for our MMCH website
- create facebook posts for our programs or upcoming events
- photograph school events
- creating brochures or posters for the school

Grounds

- work in the gardens (weeding, watering, mulching, planting in the perennial gardens.)
- building and grounds maintenance (pruning and removing trees and branches, painting, providing and spreading wood chips, providing sand for sandboxes, etc.)
- help with spring/fall cleanup days
- occasional "handyperson" jobs (mending broken items, small carpentry projects, etc.)

Materials

- take recycling to recycling center
- help photocopy, cut out, laminate, sew, or otherwise create materials for the classrooms
- pick up or order materials and/or supplies from local stores for the classroom (paid for by MMCH)

Thank you and we truly appreciate your support and commitment to make MMCH a strong community for our students and their families!