



The New Children's Museum Preschool Open Houses Offers an Inside Look and Free Admissions Passes

WEST HARTFORD, Conn (December 22, 2015) – Located on site at the Museum, The New Children's Museum Preschool of West Hartford is one of the oldest early childhood educational centers in the country. Offering unique educational experiences with a focus on play-based learning, the Preschool will be opening its doors for two Open Houses in January 2016. Families are encouraged to stop by to see if The New Children's Museum Preschool is the right fit for their young learner.

On Monday, January 18th, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, the Preschool will be open as usual, with families invited to stop in from 10am to 3pm to see the educators in action and get an understanding of how the Preschool functions.



Families who can't make it to the January 18th Open House can come by on Saturday, January 30th from 9am to Noon to participate in specially planned activities that exhibit all the Preschool has to offer to its families and students.

Families who stop by either Open House will receive one FREE same-day child's admission pass to be redeemed at the Museum.

The New Children's Museum Preschool follows a play-based philosophy and all lessons are aligned to the Connecticut Early Learn Standards. Due to its unique partnership with the Museum, children receive weekly lessons from Museum Educators, planetarium shows, and animal demonstrations. Each family also receives a membership to the Museum during their child's enrollment.

For those who can't attend either Open House, The New Children's Museum Preschool invites families to call for a private tour: (860) 523-7449.

The New Children's Museum is positioned as a premier STEAM education center, integrating science, technology, engineering, art, and math. Home to over 100 live animals, the Museum features hands-on science exhibits, out-of-this-world digital planetarium shows, and programs for young children and families.

The New Children's Museum and Roaring Brook Nature Center are the region's premiere destinations for science and nature exploration. The New Children's Museum and Preschool are located at 950 Trout Brook Drive in West Hartford and Roaring Brook Nature Center is located at 70 Gracey Road in Canton. More information is available at www.TheChildrensMuseumCT.org.

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