



### **Important dates:**

Registration deadline for returning families and their siblings: January 20, 2025

Registration deadline for new families: Feb. 3, 2025

*After this date, enrollment is ongoing and based on available space.*

Emails detailing a child's enrollment status will be sent:

*Waitlisted families will be notified if a space becomes available.*

### **Policy of Non-discrimination:**

Our class sessions are filled based on balancing class size, age and schedule. The entry age for enrolling in our school is 3 years old by 9/2/2025. Mass Audubon preschools are part of Mass Audubon, a non-profit organization dedicated to protecting the nature of Massachusetts through conservation, advocacy, and education. Mass Audubon is committed to a policy of non-discrimination in providing service to children and their families without regard to race, ethnicity, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, ancestry, age, ability or disability, veteran status, military service, genetic information, gender identity or expression, toileting status, family structure, or any other category protected under applicable law. Mass Audubon will make reasonable accommodations for qualified individuals with known disabilities, in accordance with applicable law. Children with disabilities are welcome to join the program provided reasonable accommodation can be made. Our directors invite you to reach out to discuss how our program can best meet your child's diverse needs.

### **Financial Assistance:**

Modest financial Assistance is available through our scholarship fund and is based on economic need and available funds. Financial assistance applications are due May 1, 2025. Please send a request for application to the Preschool Director. [longpasturepreschool@massaudubon.org](mailto:longpasturepreschool@massaudubon.org)

### **Mass Audubon Family Memberships**

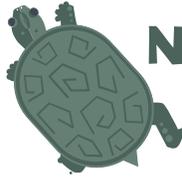
All families who have children enrolled in 2025-2026 school year are required to have a current Mass Audubon family membership by the start of the school year.

### **Pre-enrollment visit**

Each Mass Audubon preschool provide a unique, nature-based experience. As such, we request that every enrolling family visit their chosen program prior to accepting a spot for their child. This ensures that families have a chance to ask questions and familiarize themselves with the specialized nature of the program.

### **Tuition Deposits**

A non-refundable deposit must be collected when a family accepts enrollment in the program. The amount of the non-refundable will be equal to one month of the child's tuition. If the child stays in the program for the duration of the school year, the non-refundable deposit is applied to the final month's tuition payment. Note: a child is not considered enrolled in the program until we have received this deposit.



# Nature Preschool Explorers

Long Pasture Wildlife Sanctuary

## 2025-2026 Enrollment Application

### Child's Information (please print clearly)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_ (Child must be 3 years old by September 1, 2024) Identifying Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

### Parent(s)/ Guardian Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

1) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone/Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone/Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### Program Options: Long Pasture's Nature Preschool Explorers

\_\_\_\_\_ Two Day: Tuesday AM & Thursday AM – Nature-Based Kinder Prep for children 4 years old 8:30-1:00 (4.5 hrs.)

\_\_\_\_\_ Aftercare Tuesday PM & Thursday PM for enrolled 4 years old 1:00-3:00 (2 hrs.)

### Tuition and Payment Schedule for the 38 Week Program

Non-Refundable Deposit is required to hold this registration . Deposit is equal to one month of tuition. (\$513.00) (Deposit is applied to June 2026 Payment)

Program runs: Sept.4, 2025 thru June 11, 2025

Tuition for 38 weeks = 5,130.00 10 monthly payments \$513.00

Tuition for aftercare = 2,280.00 10 monthly payments \$228.00

First payment to secure fall enrollment is due by Feb.1 2025. Slot is considered unfilled after that date.

Our Handbook outlines payment responsibilities. Please contact Susan Hurlburt with town or scholarship adjustments.

Please note: Preschool families are required to be current Mass Audubon members.

Contact the Sanctuary to join or check on your membership status.

*Limited Tuition Assistance Awards available to eligible families*

*For more information, contact the Preschool Director at [longpasturepreschool.org](http://longpasturepreschool.org)*

*Application deadline is May 1, 2025*

**Admission Policy:** Applications are accepted in the order in which they are received, delivery in person or by mail. Priority is given to currently enrolled families. Applicants must attend a preschool visit. Email the Preschool Director to arrange. Once application has been accepted, enrolled families must agree to the policies as outlined in the Mass Audubon Nature Preschool Explorer Parent Handbook. Due to unknown circumstances, some application procedures may be subject to change.

Method of Payment: \_\_\_\_\_ Check (Payable to Mass Audubon) \_\_\_\_\_ Cash  
\_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card (call Susan @ 508-362-8306)

I have read and agree to the statements listed above in the Application Agreement

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



[massaudubon.org/longpasture](http://massaudubon.org/longpasture)

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For more information contact:

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