



NATURE TRAIL RULES



Through the wonderful vision and hard work of CCNS Alumnus and Eagle Scout, Brett Stewart the “One Acre Woods” Nature Trail was built. With the help of his scout troop and our maintenance committee the nature trail was designed and dedicated in 2008. In 2018, Girl Scout Gold Star recipient and CCNS Alumnus Jessie Aniloff, worked to refresh and improve the use of our Nature Trail. In 2022, Eagle Scout, Samuel Howe, and his scout troop added reading benches along with two wonderful teacher chairs. Some highlights on the trail include signs identifying local wildlife that can be spotted on the trail; alphabet and number rocks; Nature Trail books that can be used for nature lessons, or story time on the trail, and a personalized rock garden painted by the children of CCNS with Jessie’s help. This beautiful new environment serves as an outdoor classroom to help your child experience an appreciation of nature and an understanding of our role in caring for our earth.

Please observe the following rules of the Nature Trail, posted on both gates:

1. All children must be accompanied and actively supervised by an adult.
2. Stay on the marked trail. Do not disturb any plants or animals.
3. Please do not remove any painted rocks.
4. No food or drinks allowed.
5. Please don’t litter, leave only your footprints.
6. Gates must be closed at all times.
7. The trail closes at sunset.

If you are visiting the trail after school hours, it is absolutely imperative that children not be allowed to wander through this area on their own. As with any natural setting, CCNS cannot guarantee the absence of poisonous plants or uninvited critters. Therefore, active adult supervision is an absolute necessity.

