

MSDB's Deaf Enrichment Weekend Fall 2022

Grades 1-12 Friday and Saturday, October 14 & 15, 2022; Preschool/Kindergarten Friday 8am-1pm only
REGISTRATION WILL CLOSE OCTOBER 7.

"Once Upon a Time in Montana" is our theme for this fall's Deaf Enrichment Weekend (DEW). We are excited to bring a bit of Montana's history to our deaf and hard of hearing students. Friday afternoon we'll be collaborating with our campus staff to give our Outreach students a chance to visit campus classrooms and get an opportunity to experience the different learning styles offered at MSDB.

DEW is a time when our school-aged deaf/hard of hearing students come together from across Montana to connect with each other and campus students for some fun, enriching activities. We are also offering a separate track for our preschoolers and kindergartners. An adult family member will need to stay on-site with their preschool/kindergarten student. Any child of any age needing 1:1 supervision will require an adult family member to stay on site with their student.

There will not be any planned activities for siblings for this event. Please return for our Family Learning Weekend, the first weekend in June, for activities including the entire family.

For students grades 1-12, our "Once Upon a Time in Montana" will include experiences with Indian Education, we have the opportunity to walk into a star globe and observe galaxies, native star stories will follow and then each child will create a star block for a collaborative quilt to be hung at the school. Replicate the life of a miner experience a taste of a Montana Picnic as well as drying fruit and making their own butter to use on homemade biscuits. We'll tour Great Falls to find the oldest house in the city, grab a soda at the oldest drive-in restaurant, visit the train museum and listen to stories of days gone by.

There is a chance the swimming pool will be fixed by our event. If this much anticipated event happens, your child will need to bring their bathing suit. We have towels, but if your child prefers their own "beach" towel please pack it along.

Masks are not required on our campus, we welcome each person's decision to keep themselves safe and healthy. There are limited Cottages available for free housing and rooms will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis, so sign-up as soon as you can. We will do our best to accommodate as many students as we can. Hope to see you there! **THIS REGISTRATION WILL CLOSE OCTOBER 7.**

Preschool & Kindergarten Attendees

An adult family member will need to stay on-site with their preschool/kindergarten student.

Thursday Travel Day for those who need it; text Katie your estimated time of arrival so she can get set up in your Cottage room if you reserved one (406)781-3906

Friday 8:00am - 1:00pm

We will meet at the main entrance of the Bitterroot building at 8:00am on Friday.

Includes free lunch on Friday for all and free dinner Thursday and breakfast Friday if a Cottage room was reserved for lodging.

Grades 1-12 Attendees

Friday 11:00am -Saturday 2:30pm

Registration will begin at 10:30 in the cottages.

Saturday families will join @ 2:30 to enjoy a student led summary of our weekend. Our weekend will conclude at 3pm.

Please reach out to your consultant if you need early arrival or extended stay options.
Includes free meals from lunch Friday through lunch Saturday

Register Here:

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