CALENDAR · SUMMER 2027

Dr. Dirt's School of Natural Wisdom

June 7 – July 15, 2027
Monday–Thursday · 8:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.
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Week	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4
Week 1 **Roots Before Fruit** *Dr. Dirt and the Stubborn Seed*	Mon Jun 7 · Day 1 **Welcome to the land** Learn names and walk around the land	Tue Jun 8 · Day 2 **Start the compost** Build the bokashi compost pile in layers; take its first temperature	Wed Jun 9 · Day 3 **Plant the garden** Plant the vegetable beds with a ready bokashi batch; care for the fruit trees	Thu Jun 10 · Day 4 **Two living cultures** Set PNSB bottles in the sun **Badge fire: Seed rank**
Week 2 **Feed the Soil** *Dr. Dirt and the Star-Shaped Sickness*	Mon Jun 14 · Day 5 **The milk step & compost tea** Add soured rice wash to milk: the lactobacillus step	Tue Jun 15 · Day 6 **Treated and untreated** Apply compost tea to half a bed; the other half is our comparison	Wed Jun 16 · Day 7 **Knife skills & salad** Kitchen: knife safety with soft foods; garden salad	Thu Jun 17 · Day 8 **Dr. Dirt's meters** Measure pH, EC and Brix on garden plants **Badge fire: Root rank**
Week 3 **Breaking Down to Build Up** *Dr. Dirt and the Standstill Squash*	Mon Jun 21 · Day 9 **The curds separate** Harvest the lactobacillus serum	Tue Jun 22 · Day 10 **Patience in a bottle** Apply diluted lactobacillus to the garden	Wed Jun 23 · Day 11 **Cook what we grew** Kitchen: cook a simple dish from the garden	Thu Jun 24 · Day 12 **What the data says** Data circle: treated vs. untreated **Badge fire: Sprout rank**
Week 4 **Leaving the Brooder** *Dr. Dirt and the Brittle Bamboo*	Mon Jun 28 · Day 13 **Finishing touches** Coop: finish, paint and make a name sign	Tue Jun 29 · Day 14 **Salve day** Cherie: turn our 3-week extract into salve; each child fills a tin	Wed Jun 30 · Day 15 **Move-in day** The chicks move into the coop the children built	Thu Jul 1 · Day 16 **Family Harvest Day** Children make a garden snack and set the table **Badge fire: Grower rank**
Week 5 **Many Lives, One Soil** *Dr. Dirt and the Rainy Day Rust*	Tue Jul 6 · Day 17 **Keepers** Chicken-care roles rotate; first coop clean-out goes to compost	Wed Jul 7 · Day 18 **Ferments in the kitchen** Kitchen: quick pickles or sauerkraut, made by the same family of microbes we grew for the garden	Thu Jul 8 · Day 19 **Balance** Fungi and bacteria: count and compare	Fri Jul 9 · Day 20 **Show what you found** Data circle: each child shares early results **Badge fire: Keeper rank**
Week 6 **Harvest and Seed** *Dr. Dirt and the Twisting Twin Stalks*	Mon Jul 12 · Day 21 **Compost comes full circle** Our bokashi pile is finished: feed the garden with compost we made	Tue Jul 13 · Day 22 **Bottle it up** Cherie: strain and label our 3-week extract	Wed Jul 14 · Day 23 **Get ready to teach** Kitchen: prepare the family meal	Thu Jul 15 · Day 24 **Family Teaching Day** Children teach their families at stations around the land **Badge fire: Harvester rank**

Gold = milestone · Badge fire = children brand their earned badges · Week 5 runs Tue–Fri (no camp Mon, July 5) · Four-week path ends July 1

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