



NATURE SCHOOL MAKER MARKET

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13
10am-12pm

WHAT IS IT?

A special day at the end of the year where the nature school kids can set up their own stand/shop and sell items they made at school (or home) with the nature school community.

WHAT IS IT NOT?

This is not a high-pressure, open-to-the-public event. It will be a casual celebration among nature students, families, and close friends. Attendees must be invited by a nature school student. We are picturing a small but lively event with a focus on FUN, bartering, and *some* profit for the young makers.

WHAT CAN I SELL?

Anything you made yourself! The nature school should work as a team to make sure several categories are covered, so we have a well-rounded market with lots of different things for people to enjoy.

Ideas:

Food & Drinks

Baked Goods

Face Painting

Custom Drawings

Painted Rocks

Acorn Jewelry

Handmade Toys

Beeswax Candles / Holders

Ornaments

Swords

You can focus on things that people will use immediately (food and drinks) or things people may buy as Christmas gifts for themselves or family members (crafts, ornaments, toys, etc.)

HOW DO I MAKE MY STAND?

We will work on designing and building stands at nature school in the weeks leading up to the Maker Market. Some inspiration for stands.



WHAT IS THE GOAL OF THIS PROJECT?

The main goal of this project is to CELEBRATE the end of our first year at nature school. The secondary goal is to practice the principles of entrepreneurship.

What kind of things can I make that people will want to buy?

Who is my target audience (parents? other children?)

What do I *want* to make? What *can* I make? What *should* I make?

How many should I make?

How should I price my items?

These questions and more will be discussed individually as we help each child bring their unique stand and offerings to life for this exciting capstone event.

Happy planning & making!

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