

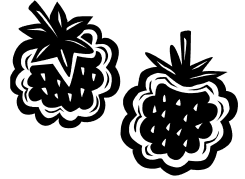


# Farm Tours at Terry's Berries LLC

*Certified Organic since 1989*

4520 River Road, Tacoma WA 98443

253-922-1604



**Cost of the Tour:** The cost of the tour is \$6 per child, and we have a \$70 minimum charge. Any family members are welcome to participate in the tour and any siblings (older than babes-in-arms) are required to pay the \$6 as well.

**Duration of Tours:** Your tour will last approximately 1 hour. We ask for one adult chaperone for every 5 children or 4 if very young. Adults will be asked to take an active role in farm activities and should dress accordingly. (Shoes, boots, rain coats, etc.)

**Days and Times:** Tours can be scheduled on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from September 29 to October 30th. Mid morning, late morning, and early afternoon times are available. Please call the farm store at 253-922-1604 during store hours 10 to 6 week days to reserve a time. (Calling Lisa on Mondays or Wednesdays between 10 and 6 would be a great time to schedule your tour).

**Inclement Weather:** Life on the farm goes on regardless of the weather. Rarely is it so bad that we need to cancel. We do have a green house where we can provide shelter if necessary. Please dress accordingly; it can be very muddy after rain.

**What to Bring:** Students should wear shoes that can get wet and muddy, ie. rain jackets and hats. Teachers should also see that each student brings a plastic grocery bag to take home a pumpkin and other veggies and/or apples. Bringing reusable bags is the perfect opportunity to give a lesson about creating good sustainable habits.

**Lunch and Snacks:** Your class may bring a snack or lunch. We do have covered areas if necessary. We ask you to encourage the students to bring healthy snacks, such as whole grain bread/crackers, whole juice/water drinks to complement the sliced apples that we will provide. We ask that you please honor the leave no trace policy on the farm, and carry out your recyclables and trash. We can compost most food items at the farm. (Please do not feed the chickens unless it is organic!)

**Please be on Time:** It is very important for us to be on schedule. If you are late, we will have to shorten your tour. Please plan to arrive 5-10 minutes early. We recommend that at least one person who will be driving make a "practice run" to the farm to determine the route and distance.

**Parking:** Parking is extremely limited on the farm. We encourage you to carpool as much as possible or come by bus. When turning into the farm driveway, proceed slowly with caution. We will most likely ask the members of your group to double park behind each other to save space and then everyone will be able to leave at the same time.

**Directions: Coming from the South:** Head north on 1-5 and right after the Portland Ave exit, take the Puyallup exit #135. You will pass Emerald Queen Casino, stay in the left lane and when you arrive at a Y intersection (with no signage) bear left—this is where River Road begins. Continue on River Road for approximately 1 mile, stay in the right lane. Look for a small red farm stand on the right, and take an immediate right-- look for the big red barn, farm store.

**Coming from the North:** Take I-5 South, and take the Puyallup exit #135. At the bottom of the ramp turn left under the freeway. Go straight at the light, pass Emerald Queen Casino, and at the next intersection bear left. We are one mile on the right. Turn right at the small red farm stand—look for the big red barn, farm store.

**Coming from Puyallup:** Coming from South Hill, head north on Meridian, turn left on River Road (look for Fred Meyer at the intersection). Continue west on River Road-- the river will be on your right. Pass the Duris Cucumber farm and get the left lane after you see the Valley Farm stand. Right after you see a truck driving training school, make a sharp left. You will see a small red farm stand, proceed to the big red barn.