

**Bring your class to the farm!**

Our educational lessons make learning about agriculture a snap! Interactive boards, model-sized barns and a fun hayride all make the day memorable for elementary school-aged children.

With some free play in the corn box, our big hay bale slide, and the ground maze, your students learn by having fun!

Of course, we can't forget to mention the 8-acre corn maze....



**Walking through the corn becomes a team activity as you try to find the exit!**



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# Your Day at Etsch Farms

## The fun begins...

When your class arrives at our farm, a farmer guides you through your day. Your group is divided in half to be sure no one gets lost!

One part of your group will be broken into small teams to work through the maze. After you exit, the children can play on our giant bale slide, corn box and ground maze. Free play is very important!

The other part of your group will start with a hayride around the farm and maze. After the ride is over, we head for the barn to see a small-scale version of our farmyard.



Students will see tractors large and small.

Here you will learn how corn is planted and harvested, as well as how it fits into our food chain.

## Education, too!

Your class will be given a lesson about common misconceptions of agriculture. Using interactive boards and colorful



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photos, they will learn about where chocolate milk comes from, as well as things farmers and ranchers own and use every day.

We offer room in our barn for your class to stay and have lunch to enhance your visit.

## We want to share...

our love of nature and what we do. We raise grain, hay and all-natural eggs while maintaining open space in Monroe Township. Our goal is to help you understand farmers and ranchers and what we provide for the world — and for your neighborhood.

Call us today to schedule your class trip!

*Jim and Caroline Etsch*

## Quotes from students...

- “The kids will really like it because it’s a good brain challenge for the maze.”
- “The fun part was that if you got lost, you had to stop and solve where you would go next.”
- “I think they will love to go on the farm tractor ride.”

## ...and teachers!

- “We think this was a fabulous trip! The children ALL loved it! The trip is not only fun for the children but extremely educational.”
- “It was both informative and fun. They learned a lot about farming through the games and activities, enjoyed the tractor ride, and especially loved the corn maze.”
- “This was one of the 3rd grade highlights that my kids couldn’t wait to tell the 2nd graders about.”

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