

Let us introduce ourselves, We're Turtle Island Children's Center

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Turtle Island Children's Center (TICC) is a full-day, year-round early childhood education program for infants, toddlers and preschoolers in central Vermont.

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Benefits of a Doty partnership with our local community-oriented early childhood program

Enhanced services for children with special needs in familiar, integrated environments

Priority access to available Pre-K spots for Worcester families

Maintain rural values of outdoor exploration and community connection

Align and support children from 6 months through elementary school

Affordability with state childcare subsidies (CCFAP)

Increased foot traffic to local businesses

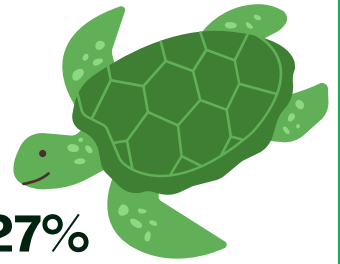
Deep commitment to equity and social justice

Attract and retain young families to the area

Build relationships across town lines, strengthening Central Vermont community

Build a model of public-private partnership that could be replicated in other schools to build up childcare and maintain identity.

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27%

Turtle Island families reside within the WCUUSD

44%

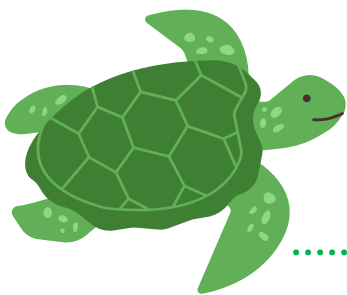
Turtle Island students live outside of Montpelier

40%

Turtle Island families rely on state subsidy to pay for tuition.

100%

Children spend time off-campus, interacting with the community



Our mission is to foster and sustain a thriving community of care and education while elevating the voices of children and early childhood educators. This is a respectful partnership between children, teachers, families, the larger community and the Earth.

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