

MARINE VILLAGE SCHOOL



Small is mighty at Marine Village School! ——— 2022-2023 Vision

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Our community greets you at the door with our rich and vibrant historic town with 183 years of history.

Boasting school excellence that fosters a proven method of education in a dynamic classroom setting. Offering layers of opportunities to communicate one on one with students, parents, faculty in a small, nurturing, and inclusive learning environment.

Our students will be provided with the necessary tools which will promote a love of learning, respect for the environment, a sense of wonder, and responsibility for the community.

Vision

- Unlimited potential with small class sizes and one teacher per grade
- Incredible facilities for learning inside and outdoors
- Inspired care with before and after school programming
- An innovative Maker Space and STEAM Lab to unleash exploration
- Community support with local artists, multigenerational activities and an emphasis on ecology



WHAT IS A CHARTER SCHOOL?

- Tuition-free
- Independent public schools
- Open to all students no matter ability or need
- Governed and operated jointly by licensed teachers, parents and community members



OUR CORNERSTONES

ACADEMICS

We have high expectations for all students and will use the comprehensive and content rich Core Knowledge curriculum with a focus on communication and leadership.

ECOLOGY

Study the relationship between plants, animals, and their living environment and how it affects the world where we live.

COMMUNITY

Community engagement are vital to a meaningful educational experience. We will engage our students with artists and residents to create a community that lasts a lifetime.

SERVICE

Service commitments may include caring for streams, planting trees, maintaining the school forest and playground, performing concerts for the public, and similar activities.

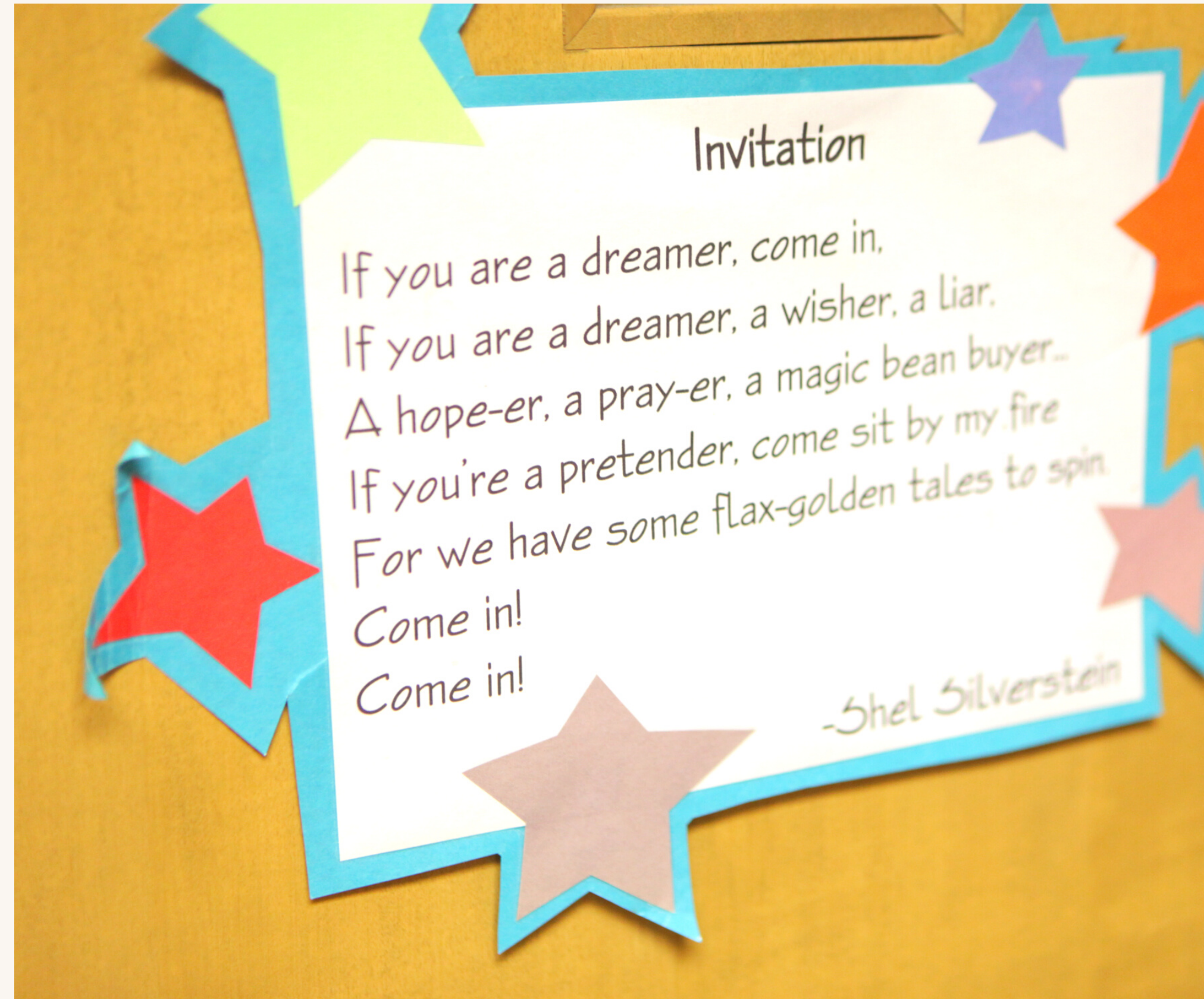


OUR EXTENDED VISION

Small is mighty at Marine Village School!

MVS boasts:

- Unlimited potential with limited class size and one teacher per grade
- Proven academic model with over 160 years of success schooling
- Maximum of 25 students per class
- Incredible facilities for learning inside and outdoors
- Full size gymnasium,
- Updated security, HVAC, wifi, digital classrooms
- Ice rink, playground, greenspace, ballfield and school forest
- Inspired care with before and after school programming
- Innovative Maker Space and STEAM Lab to unleash exploration
- Hands-on projects through the mentorship of local artisans
- Mechanical exploration from Legos to robots
- Design Lab/Multiuse space
- Environment education programming
- School Forest
- Observation of natural changes throughout the seasons at the school forest
- A community that meets your student at the door
- Central entrance for arrival and departure
- Residential setting in active neighborhood
- Resources of historic village






COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

- Marine Mills Folk School
- Marine Library Association
- Stone House Museum
- Marine-Carnelian Watershed District
- William O'Brien State Park
- National Park Service
- Science Museum St. Croix Research Station
- Marine Restoration Society
- City of Marine on St. Croix



Our Timeline

- **March 2021:** Application accepted by the Authorizer
- **May 2021:** Affidavit submitted to Minnesota Department of Education
- **July 2021 to June 2022:** Hire staff and establish school operations
- **September 2022:** School opens



Take Our
SURVEY!

TAKE OUR SURVEY

We need young families to take our survey and express interest in Marine Village School.

Please take our **survey** so we can demonstrate demand for the Marine Village School to the Minnesota Department of Education.

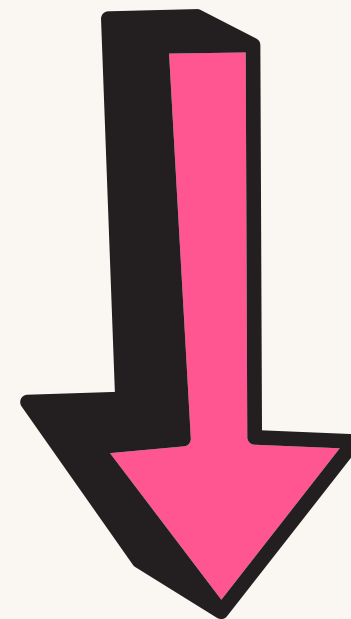
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/mvs2021>

Find the link to our survey on our website or Facebook page www.marinevillageschool.org or FB @[marinevillageschoolmn](https://www.facebook.com/marinevillageschoolmn).



QUESTIONS?

Use the chat box below





HELP US GET STARTED!

DONATE NOW

Drop off checks at Security State Bank of Marine.
At the window or put in the overnight deposit box.
NO fees using this option

Mail checks to Marine Village School,
PO Box 247, Marine on St Croix MN 55047.
No Fees using this option.

Look soon for a Paypal Donation button on Face
book or at MarineVillageSchool.org.
3% fee deducted.

All Donations are Tax Deductible!
Federal EIN 84-4963090

FUTURE MEETINGS AT THE SCHOOL

We are currently available for one on one, socially distanced family tours. Please contact Win at winm@marinevillageschool.org or (651) 431-8308

After approval from MDE, we will begin holding monthly Board Meetings online or at the Marine Village School on the last Monday of the month at 7pm.

The link will be shared on facebook at @marinevillageschoolmn and at www.marinevillageschool.org

All are welcome!



HOW CAN YOU GET INVOLVED?

We are currently seeking additional Board Members and community volunteers. If you have an area of interest or skill that you would like to share please let us know. Thank you!

- Website Design
- School Curriculum
- Logo/Graphic Design
- Transportation
- Social Media
- Fine Art
- Technology
- Music
- Finance
- Foreign Languages
- Fundraising/Grant Writing
- Athletics



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