

Moving To Magnolia

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Seven years. That's how long The Barclay School has been living and working alongside our friends from Columbia College. Since our school has been expanding, we were all packed into one house. Then Dr. G and Mrs. Edith discovered a great opportunity!

After months and months of waiting, The Barclay School is moving to Magnolia Farm in Ridgeway. We are all sad about leaving but excited about the new changes and opportunities we will receive. I talked to some of my fellow students about what they're sad about leaving behind and what they are looking forward to at Magnolia.

The older and younger kids came up with a list of things they're going to miss and what they're looking forward to.

We are going to miss the big dance rooms where we do yoga and karate. We are going to miss all our friends from Columbia College stopping by to visit with us. We will miss the pottery place with Mr. Tim on Wednesday and doing sign language with Mr. Paul every Monday. We will miss getting to run around on the lawn at Columbia College with Big Karl, but we are looking forward to moving to Magnolia.

At Magnolia Farm we will have so many new opportunities! Along with all the much needed space, we will be taking care of so many new animals; pigs, horses, and bees, just to name a few. Everyone is super excited to add new members to our ever growing family. At the farm we will be making Bunnies Brew again. It is our natural plant fertilizer that we make with the help of our bunny friends.

Magnolia Farm will never replace the love and friendships we have received Columbia College, but a new chapter has opened up for The Barclay School and Ridgeway is the perfect location.