Looking for an Education **Alternative?**

We're starting a new, unique school in your neighborhood and want you to get involved!

The **Teddy McArdle Free School** is a start up school for children of all ages intended to open in 2007 in Little Falls, NJ.

We believe in children's natural desire and ability to learn at their own pace through their own particular interests. We're building a school where:

- Students are empowered to make decisions about their own learning in a flexible environment focused on the individual
- Decisions about the school community are made through weekly democratic meetings where each student and staff member gets one equal vote
- There is no testing, grading, homework, mandatory curriculum, or age segregation
- Our communities are used as some of our richest learning resources through frequent planned and spontaneous excursions
- The staff assist, guide, and inspire students to be in charge of their own learning and schedules
- Children learn to want learning!

Check out our website **http://tmcafs.org** for one of our regularly scheduled planning meetings held at the Caldwell Public Library. Parents, children, educators, and volunteers of all ages are invited to come along and get involved or contact **Alex Khost** at **201-709-1470** or **alex@tmcafs.org**

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