**Setting the Table: From Field to Plate**

**2010-2011 Testimonials**

“Our 11-year-old daughter had a wonderful experience with the program. It strengthened her appreciation of the relationships among food, economics, cultures, and the environment. She hopes to return as a peer leader when she is in high school." –Susan, Parent

“As a parent volunteer, Field to Plate allowed me to be a ‘fly on the wall’ during most of the spring sessions.  Together my daughter and I transcended our usual struggles about food being ‘good or bad,’ ‘healthy or unhealthy.’ I wanted to share with her my love of food  – growing it, making it, and giving it to others.  I also wanted to help her be more mindful in her approach to eating.  This class touched on everything that is important to me:  the gift of creation, the celebration of seasons, the ritual and intimacy of families, the expression of cultures, our conception of justice, and our stewardship of the planet.” –Janet, Parent

“I liked learning more about where our food comes from and all of the hard work that many people put in to provide for others. I liked meeting all of the people who owned the farms and businesses that we visited because they were all very interesting and unique.  And finally, I enjoyed making the dinner – especially the mountain of nibbly bit cookies.” –Sofia, Participant