

## STONE BARNS CENTER FOR FOOD AND AGRICULTURE POCANTICO HILLS, NY

While city kids are often exposed to a world of cuisines, they rarely have the chance to see where their food comes from. At Stone Barns Center for Food and Agriculture (630 Bedford Rd; 914-366-6200, stonebarnscenter.org. Free), they can do just that. (The center raises animals including cows, pigs and chickens, and grows 200 varieties of produce, on 80 acres of land.) A mere 30 miles north of New York City, kids get their hands dirty with such farming tasks as collecting eggs, pulling greens and feeding pigs. Visitors also get to amble through pastures and woodlands, and interact with real-live farmers. On select Saturdays, families can enjoy Story Time at the Farm Store, a free program in which staff members read aloud from books related to their trade.—Amy Carniol Travel time 45 minutes by car