The mission of the Delaware Children in Nature Coalition is to encourage environmental literacy, increase opportunities for children to participate in outdoor experiences, promote healthy lifestyles, and support better access to green space. This mission is achieved through the work of the partners who comprise the Delaware Children in Nature Coalition.

**Becoming an Official Coalition Partner**
All Delaware Children in Nature Coalition Partners hold a business license, 501c3, or government status, have information online to allow people to learn more about their organization, designate an official Coalition Partner Contact who reports on Coalition Partner Initiatives, and attend at least two Delaware Children in Nature Coalition meetings. Both Delaware Children in Nature (DCIN) and the Coalition Partners work to achieve the mission through sharing online events, posts, and hashtags.

**Meaningful Outdoor Experiences**

The Delaware Children in Nature Coalition encourages intentional time spent outdoors with the goal of promoting healthy lifestyles and environmental literacy of all Delawareans through increasing accessibility to green spaces. Official Coalition Partners support this commitment through training, events, programs, financial support, or initiatives in at least one area below.

- School Programs
- Community Events
- Volunteer Opportunities
- Professional Development
- Public Programming
- School/Community Gardens or Outdoor Space
- Youth Career Opportunities
- Outdoor Recreation

Additionally, Coalition Partners must:

- Display a DCIN Proud Partners logo (online or in a physical location)
- Provide at least one financial commitment supporting DCIN per year
- Give DCIN permission to use their logo and online material to promote their organization and DCIN