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Education and Gardens

2019 Workshops

EDUCATION WORKSHOPS

FOR TEACHERS AND SCHOOL STAFF

Climate Clinic Series

In this after-school series, learn about climate science, climate change impacts, and how to make simple connections to your curriculum and the Next Generation Science Standards and Common Core Standards. If two teachers from your school participate in the entire series your school will earn a \$200 stipend for garden and/or climate change education materials.

When: March 19, March 26, and April 2, from 4:30 – 6:30pm.

Where: Amundsen High School

Email: schools@openlands.org if you are interested.



How and Why to Teach Outdoors

Discover how to use the schoolyard as an extension of the classroom and the benefits of teaching outside. Participants in this high-energy workshop gain classroom management skills and create tools for taking their curriculum outdoors. We will come to you!

Duration: Two hours – during a PD day, during lunch, or after school.

Where: Your school

Who: All Staff

Email: schools@openlands.org if you are interested.



A fee applies to schools outside of the Building School Gardens and Space to Grow networks.

GARDEN WORKSHOPS

FREE FOR MEMBERS OF YOUR GARDEN TEAM
SCHOOL STAFF, PARENTS, COMMUNITY GARDENERS

Offered in English and Spanish, with coffee and light snacks provided.

Organizing Your Garden Team

An enthusiastic, committed Garden Team is crucial to the long success of a school or community garden. Come out and hear from other schools on how to create and sustain a successful Garden Team. This workshop will be presented in both English and Spanish.

When: February 9, 2019, 9:30am-12:30pm

Where: Orozco Community Academy
1940 W. 18th Street, Chicago, IL

To Register: [English Form](#) | [Spanish Form](#)

Please register by February 2; Childcare is available if requested by January 26.



Vegetable Gardening Basics

At this workshop you will hear from an expert organic gardener on how to prepare and nourish the soil, what to plant when, and what is best to plant as a seed vs. seedling. Participants will create a vegetable garden layout specific to their school or community garden. Each participant will receive seeds that will get them started on their spring season planting! This workshop will be presented in both English and Spanish.

When: March 2, 2019, 9:30am-12:30pm

Where: Hayt Elementary School
1518 W. Granville Avenue, Chicago, IL

To Register: [English Form](#) | [Spanish Form](#)

Please register by February 23; Childcare is available if requested by February 16.



Stewarding Your Garden

Summer is when our gardens are very active (and they can get out of control). There are weeds to remove, plants to be watered, and vegetables to be picked. How does this get done? At this hands-on workshop, we will show how school and community gardens can be successful in keeping their gardens healthy, weed free, and watered. Come prepared to share your gardens successes and challenges! Garden supplies will be given away. This workshop will be presented in both English and Spanish.



When: April 6, 2019, 9:30am-12:30pm

Where: Yates Elementary School
1839 N Richmond Street, Chicago, IL

To Register: [English Form](#) | [Spanish Form](#)

Please register by March 29; Childcare is available if requested by March 22.

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TALLERES DE JARDINERÍA

PARA MIEMBROS DE SU EQUIPO DE JARDINERÍA
PERSONAL ESCOLAR, PADRES, JARDINEROS COMUNITARIOS

Ofrecidos en inglés y español, con café y aperitivos ligeros proporcionados.

Organizando su equipo de jardinería

Un equipo de jardinería entusiasmado y comprometido es importante para el largo éxito del jardín escolar o comunitario. Venga y escuche a otras escuelas sobre cómo crear y sostener un equipo exitoso de jardinería. Este taller será presentado en inglés y en español.

Cuando: 9 de febrero de 2019, 9:30am-12:30pm

Donde: Orozco Community Academy
1940 W. 18th Street, Chicago, IL

Para Registrarse: [Aplicación en Ingles](#) | [Aplicación en Español](#)

Por favor regístrese antes del 2 de febrero de 2019

El cuidado de niños está disponible si se solicita antes del 26 de enero de 2019



Fundamentos de jardinería vegetal

En este taller usted escuchara de un experto jardinero orgánico sobre cómo preparar y nutrir la tierra, que plantar y cuando, y saber cuál es mejor plantar semilla o planta de semillero. Los participantes crearán un diseño de huerta específico para su escuela o jardín comunitario. ¡Cada participante recibirá semillas que los comenzará en la siembra para la temporada de primavera! Este taller será presentado en inglés y en español.

Cuando: 2 de marzo 2019, 9:30am-12:30pm

Donde: Hayt Elementary School
1518 West Granville Avenue, Chicago, IL

Para Registrarse: [Aplicación en Ingles](#) | [Aplicación en Español](#)

Por favor regístrese antes del 23 de febrero del 2019

El cuidado de niños está disponible si se solicita antes del 16 de febrero de 2019



Criando su jardín

El verano es cuando nuestros jardines son muy activos (y pueden salir del control). Hay hierbas para quitar, plantas para regar, y verduras para recolectar. ¿Cómo se hace esto? En este taller práctico, demostraremos cómo los huertos escolares y comunitarios pueden ser exitoso en mantener sus jardines sanos, libres de hierbas y regados. ¡Vengan preparados para compartir los éxitos y retos de sus jardines! Suministros de jardín serán regalados. Este taller será presentado en inglés y en español.



Cuando: 6 de abril, 2019, 9:30am-12:30pm

Donde: Yates Elementary School
1839 N Richmond Street, Chicago, IL

Para Registrarse: [Aplicación en Ingles](#) | [Aplicación en Español](#)

Por favor regístrese antes del 29 de marzo de 2019

El cuidado de niños está disponible si se solicita antes del 22 de marzo de 2019

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