

COVID-19 Gardening Resources

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Models & Examples for Sending Seeds Home with Students (National Farm to School Network)

National Farm to School Network Partners have shared these examples for how communities are working to keep students engaged with gardening activities during school closures.

Seed Sharing During School Closures (N.C. Cooperative Extension)

This webpage shares examples of how N.C. Cooperative Extension has helped distribute seeds and seed kits through School Nutrition and other community partners; "How To" suggestions and ideas; and additional resources.

Garden Ideas for Kids, Parents, and Teachers (KidsGardening)

Links to kids garden activities, garden-based educational resources, gardening advice, and other helpful tips to inspire you to just keep growing.

Green Schoolyards Resource Hub (Children & Nature Network)

This resource hub offers tools and resources to support each stage of building and sustaining successful green schoolyards programs, from advocacy kits that will help you make the case and secure funding, to resources for activating and maintaining green campuses.

Berkeley Unified School District, Gardening and Cooking Program: Suggested Resources for Students & Families During School Closure (Berkeley Unified School District)

FoodCorps Recording Videos FAQ (FoodCorps)

In this document, you will find resources and responses to questions from the following webinars:

- "Lights, Camera, Action: Tips and Tricks for Recording Videos" slides, webinar recording
- "Tips for Editing and Sharing Videos" slides, webinar recording

Both webinars were led by Rochelle Li, FoodCorps' Content Manager. If you have any additional questions, please email her at rochelle.li@foodcorps.org.

Youth Gardening During COVID-19 (Wisconsin School Garden Network)

Resources in response to the changes and accommodations and materials for youth garden educators to use during this time.

<u>Strategies for Remote School Garden Engagement</u> (Maine School Garden Network) Strategies for school gardening.

Seed Sharing Toolkit (Georgia Organics)



School Garden Support Network- COVID-19 Resources

COVID-19 and Food and Agriculture-MN

NC State Extension COVID-19 FAQ for Community Gardens

Purdue Extension COVID-19 Resources

See below for links to some helpful organizations & resources for supporting both outdoor in-person and distance garden-based learning during the pandemic:

Wisconsin School Garden Network

Life Lab

Backpocket Learning

Green Schoolyards America: COVID-19 Outdoor Learning

Edible Education for the Home Classroom

Big Green at Home

City Blossom Resources for Home Learning

City Sprouts at Home

4-H at Home

Captain Planet Resources for Learning at Home

Health and Safety

COVID-19 FAQ For Community Gardens (NC State Extension)

Best practices and steps for garden managers and gardeners.

COVID-19 Guidelines for Safe Community Gardening (Created by Hannah Traggis)

Portable Handwashing Station Resources (National Young Farmers Coalition)

Hand washing is one of the most important food safety practices, and it is no surprise that the Produce Safety Rule creates certain requirements for how and when workers must wash their hands. This resources includes different models of portable handwashing stations that could work for various farm operations, depending on size and scale.

Philadelphia Parks and Recreation: Notice for Community Gardeners (Philadelphia Community Gardens)

<u>COVID-19 Guidelines for safe community gardening</u> (Northeast Sustainable Agriculture Working Group)

