



Got Carrots?

Want To Grow Your Own?

Gardening 365... Be the first to sign up

Urban Farmer Training Program at Leila Arboretum

- Learn how to grow your favorite garden vegetables
- Classroom and hands-on instruction
- Grow your garden into a business
- Entrepreneurial training provided by Generation E Institute
- Safe Food Handling training led by MSU Extension
- Sustainable Growing Practices
- Take one class, or take them all, to earn a certificate of completion
- Full program 13 weeks - fee per class or scholarship available



Partial Class Schedule – all classes meet at the Leila Arboretum, Horticulture Training Center, 103 Limit St., Battle Creek

- Getting Started - why do you want to garden?
- Agronomy 101 - healthy plants
- Soil Management
- Permaculture
- Seed selection & planting schedules
- Seed starting and transplants
- Exploring entrepreneurial opportunities
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- Composting & bed building
- Water management & irrigation
- Exploring entrepreneurial opportunities
- Pest management - animals, weeds , etc
- Plant Sale - LAS Plant Sale
- Food growers' safety training
- Seedling & transplanting
- Harvest methods

- Tue, Mar. 24, 6-8pm, HTC
- Sat, Mar. 28, 9-11am, HTC
- Tue, Mar. 31, 6-8pm, HTC, GH & Farm
- Sat, Apr. 4, 9-11am, HTC
- Tue, April 7, 6-8pm, HTC & GH & HH
- Sat, Apr. 11, 9-11am, GH
- Tue, April 14, 6-8pm, HTC
- Sat, Apr. 18, 9-11am, HTC
- Tue, April 21, 6-8pm, GH & 365 Farm
- Sat, Apr. 25, 9-11am, HTC, GH & Farm
- Tue, April 28, 6-8pm, HTC
- Tue, May 12, 6-8pm, HTC
- May 15, 16, 17
- Tue, May 19, 6-8pm, HTC & 365 Farm
- Sat, May 23, 9-11am, 365 Farm
- Ongoing

Contact: Leila Arboretum at 269-969-0270, X 123

Or email: bam@lasgarden.org to sign up or for more information

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