

AGN-1: BASIC GARDENING

Justification for this inactivation request

Course has not been offered in a while and was requested to be archived.

Effective Term

Fall 2026

CC Approval

10/03/2025

AS Approval

10/09/2025

BOT Approval

10/16/2025

COCI Approval

02/19/2026

SECTION A - Course Data Elements

CB04 Credit Status

Noncredit

CB22 Noncredit Category

Short-Term Vocational

Subject Code

AGN - Agriculture Noncredit

Course Number

1

Department

Agriculture Noncredit

Division

Career Education and Workforce Development (CEWD)

Full Course Title

Basic Gardening

Short Title

Basic Gardening

CB03 TOP Code

0109.10 - *Landscape Design and Maintenance

CB08 Basic Skills Status

NBS - Not Basic Skills

CB09 SAM Code

D - Possibly Occupational

SECTION B - Course Description

Catalog Course Description

This course is a unique opportunity to take classes in the Upper Valley Campus garden, the educational hub for farm to table cuisine for Napa Valley Cooking School. Adults will work together to maintain and expand the gardens. Through lecture and hands-on experiential learning, students will explore the fundamentals of small-scale agriculture, ranging from conventional to organic gardening. The course will cover a basic to intermediate level of gardening and introduce topics such as: plant recognition, seasonal planting for area, soil management, pest control, pollinators, basic planting and harvesting, chicken care, and composting. No

previous experience in the natural sciences, horticulture, ecology, landscape design, farming, gardening or other subject area is required.

SECTION C - Conditions on Enrollment

Open Entry/Open Exit

No

Repeatability

Unlimited - Noncredit OR Work Experience Education

Grading Options

No Grade-Noncredit

Allow Audit

Yes

Requisites

SECTION D - Course Standards

Is this course variable hour?

No

Total Instructional Hours

3

Distance Education Approval

Is this course offered through Distance Education?

No

SECTION E - Course Content

Methods of Instruction

Methods of Evaluation

Assignments

SECTION G - Diversity, Equity and Inclusivity

Course Codes (Admin Only)

CB00 State ID

CCC000652416

CB10 Cooperative Work Experience Status

N - Is Not Part of a Cooperative Work Experience Education Program

CB11 Course Classification Status

L - Non-Enhanced Funding

CB13 Special Class Status

N - The Course is Not an Approved Special Class

CB23 Funding Agency Category

Y - Not Applicable (Funding Not Used)

CB24 Program Course Status

Not Program Applicable

Allow Pass/No Pass

Yes

Only Pass/No Pass

Yes