

Houston ISD Garden Program

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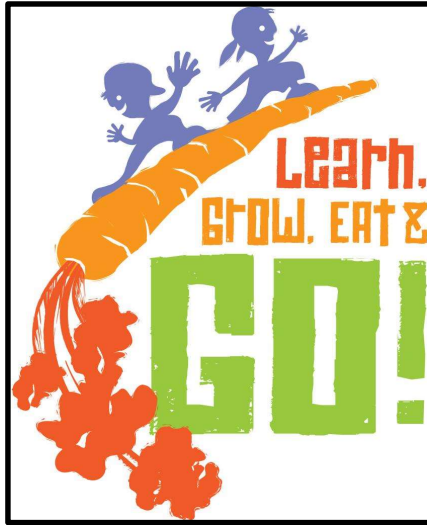


Garden Nutrition Education Farm to School at HISD

USDA Farm to School Grant
Establishing 15 school gardens



Curriculum



- Flexible
- Nutrition- Focused
- TEKS aligned
- Supported by research
- Easy to implement
- Cross Curriculum
- Age-Appropriate

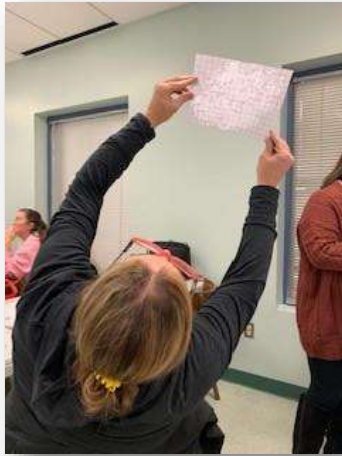
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Master Gardeners/HLSR



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Training with LGEG!



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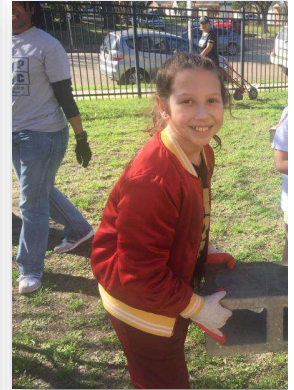
Implementation Plan- Game Change

Garden Champion Training			
Campus: _____			
Person Completing form: _____			
Contact Information:			
Garden Champion	Position on Campus	Email Address	Phone Number
*Place an asterisk next to the main point of contact. This person will receive the gift card code and will be responsible for communication with Nutrition Services.			
Implementation Plan:			
Teacher's Name	Subject / Grade Level	Number of Classes	Estimated Number of Students
How will the curriculum be integrated?			
Tentative Timeline:			
Set "Garden Build" Date:			
Begin Promoting "Garden Build Day" to parents and community members:			
Collect Student Waivers:			
Pre-Survey Date:			
Curriculum Start Date:			
"Garden Build" Day:			
Post-Survey Date:			
Harvest day or Garden Celebration Day:			

Garden Champion Training	
Materials:	
Check which garden beds would be preferred by your school:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cinderblocks:	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-fabricated Beds:
	
Note: Cinder blocks are heavy. Keep in mind the delivery location and the distance the blocks will need to be transported. If cinder blocks are chosen, you will be expected to provide at least 10 volunteers who can carry the blocks to the garden bed location.	
Where will your garden be located?	
If you already have garden beds, what materials will be needed for your garden?	
Where will the items be delivered on campus? (Please be as descriptive as possible):	
Who will be the point of contact for the delivery day (this might be the front office staff)?	

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“It’s a learning PROCESS...”



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Lessons at the School



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