



School Garden Application Form

Contact Information

- School _____ Principal: _____
- Phone Number _____ Email: _____
- Contact Person(s): _____
- Address: _____

_____ We want to join as a Member School (\$50/year)

_____ We request that you waive the fee. _____% of our students receive free or reduced lunch.

Desired Services/Resources (Please mark an "x" next to desired service.)

_____ Garden Design Consultation and Planning: Meet to discuss garden site options, layout, and planting plan.

_____ Garden Work Party: Help to organize and recruit volunteers for a work party to build garden.

_____ Materials to Build a Garden

_____ Materials to Supply an Existing Garden. Explain briefly: _____

_____ Teaching Resources for the Use of your Garden (Please indicate the needed service.)

_____ Informational Services _____ Guest Speaker

Please Answer the Following Questions on a Separate Paper

1. Do you have a map of an existing or planned garden? If so, please provide the garden layout.
2. Does the proposed garden site have an accessible/usable water source nearby?
3. How will this garden be used? (For example: butterfly garden, vegetable or herb garden, etc.)
4. How many people are involved with the garden on a yearly basis?
5. Who will be *using* this garden (Age/Grade level, subject area)? How many people will it serve?
6. Who will be *maintaining* this garden? Do you have a work plan for volunteers/students/staff?
7. Name 3 individuals who plan to use the garden to teach lessons (STEM, nutrition, etc.). Elaborate on curriculum.
8. Are there funds available for the installation and continuation of this garden project? Have you applied for a school garden grant or another form of funding? (i.e. Leon County Community Garden Grant)
9. Are there plans to use the food from this garden within the school? Within the neighborhood? For specific service projects?
10. How will you integrate the garden to ensure schoolwide participation?

Gardens are Selected on the Basis of the Following Criteria:

- Plans are well-defined and include a workable timeline.
- The size of the garden is manageable for the number of committed volunteers for the project.
- A committed partnership of people is involved.
- The plan has a high potential for success.
- The garden will benefit the community with food security needs.

Please send your completed application to:

staff@damayan.org

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