



# WASATCH COMMUNITY GARDENS

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Thank you for volunteering with Wasatch Community Gardens. Every volunteer position helps our organization empower people of all ages and incomes to grow and eat healthy, organic, local food. As a local nonprofit agency, we could not do any of this without your support.

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POSITION TITLE:	<b>Garden Crew</b>
POSITION DESCRIPTION:	Garden Crew is a small volunteer group (ranging 3-10 people) who are interested in learning about organic gardening through hands-on gardening practices.  Responsibilities could include but are not limited to: weeding, double-digging, mulching, art projects, planting, harvesting, cleaning out plots, small-scale art projects, painting, etc.
IDEAL VOLUNTEER:	Garden Crew is ideal for students who need to complete service learning hours, community service hours, or individuals who are interested in furthering their hands-on gardening experience.
REPORTS TO   SUPERVISOR:	TBD
LENGTH OF COMMITMENT:	Volunteers can commit to the Garden Crew on a weekly basis, as their schedules allow. Minimum hour commitment: 1 hour (weekly crews might be 2- hours long. Volunteers are excused when the work is done. )
DATES NEEDED:	Tentative 2016 Schedule: Spring School Garden Crews - Thursday nights 4-6pm 2.25.16 - 4.21.16* Summer School Garden Crews - Wednesday nights 5-7pm 5.11.16 - 8.15.16* Fall School Garden Crews - Thursday nights 4-6pm 9.6.16 - 11.17.16*  <i>* Dates are subject to change</i>
LOCATION OF VOLUNTEER WORK:	TBD, based on garden needs, but will primarily be located in Salt Lake County.
REQUIREMENTS:	18 years old; Younger than 18 must be accompanied with an adult or have prior WCG approval Completed online volunteer application Completed volunteer orientation Must sign in and out of volunteer logs Volunteers should watch weather report to determine appropriate clothing. It is recommended that volunteers should wear layers, closed-toe shoes, hat, sunscreen. Volunteers should also bring a bandana, water & refillable water bottle, and food/snacks.
QUALIFICATIONS:	Specific knowledge/ skills are not required; however, volunteers should come prepared to get dirty, do physical labor, and be comfortable working in a garden environment.
TRAINING PROVIDED:	WCG orientation is required. Project specific training at the beginning of each garden crew night.
MISSION RELATED:	Community Gardens are ran by volunteer groups who often times work full time and take care of their families full time, in addition to maintaining the common spaces in the garden each year. By providing a resource of volunteers to these gardens, we are able to assist the gardeners/students in growing and eating more healthy, organic, local food.
ADDITIONAL INFO   COMMENTS:	Volunteers should be prepared to leave the garden to use the restroom as most gardens do not have restroom access.

For more information or questions specific to this position, please contact the Volunteer Coordinator, Felecia via email or phone at felecia@wasatchgardens.org | 801.359.2658 x 11.

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