



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.

POSITION TITLE:	Garden Educator Assistants
POSITION DESCRIPTION:	Volunteers will assist the youth educators in the Youth Garden Program, including assisting with crafts, art projects, and activities, preparing healthy snacks, optional teaching opportunities based on knowledge, assisting youth educators with the personal care of the youth, transportation (public transportation/walking) youth participants to other locations (IE Liberty Park, Bad Dog Arts, etc.), and preparation and clean-up.
IDEAL VOLUNTEER:	This is a great volunteer opportunity for students needing to complete service learning hours, individuals interested in teaching/education based around garden-based curriculum and/or nutrition, or individuals interested in encouraging youth about the importance of growing and eating healthy, organic food in a garden environment. You need to like kids, age 4-12. Volunteer times vary and are flexible during M - F 8:30 am - 5:30 pm.
REPORTS TO SUPERVISOR:	Youth Program Director
LENGTH OF COMMITMENT:	Must be willing to commit to two months. Terms of commit will be individually defined between the volunteer, Youth Program Director, and youth educators.
DATES NEEDED:	April - May; June - August; September - October
LOCATION OF VOLUNTEER WORK:	Either the Grateful Tomato Garden, 800 S 600 E or Fairpark Garden, 1037 W 300 N.
REQUIREMENTS:	Pass a background check +18 years of age Complete volunteer application Attend volunteer orientation Must be available to complete volunteer activities between M-F 8:30 am - 5:30 pm Volunteers must sign in and out of an hour log.
QUALIFICATIONS:	Specific skills/knowledge are not necessary, but a background or interest in youth education is a benefit.
TRAINING PROVIDED:	Volunteer orientation; hands-on training will be provided by Youth Program Director and/or youth educators.
MISSION RELATED:	Assisting the Youth Garden Program frees-up the Youth Program Director and youth educators' time so they can work on developing educational curriculum in teaching kids who to grow and eat healthy, organic, local food.
ADDITIONAL INFO COMMENTS:	We recognize that volunteers are crucial to our Youth Garden Program. We are excited to work with volunteers on an individual basis to outline the skills, knowledge, and career goals volunteers are interested in obtaining through this experience.

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.
