

2017 Wasatch Community Gardens' School Garden Program Scholarship Application

Wasatch Community Gardens accepts schools into our School Garden Program as resources are available.

We've created this PDF of questions for your application. Please submit the answers to these questions in a separate document and email it to liz@wasatchgardens.org. You may also submit up to 5 photographs if you think it makes your story stronger.

Once you submit your application, you will receive an email confirming that we got it. If you have any questions, feel free to email liz@wasatchgardens.org

Key Details & Dates

The application period opens on March 1, 2017 and closes July 1, 2017, 5:00 PM.

Winners will be selected and notified in July 2017. All applicants will be notified of their status by August 1, 2017.

Part 1: My Details

1. What is your role?
 - a. I have a child at this school
 - b. Teacher
 - c. School Principal
 - d. After School Director
 - e. Other:
2. Contact First and Last Name
3. E-mail address
4. Daytime Phone
5. Mailing address (Street, City, State, Zip)

Part 2: I'm entering on behalf of...

6. School Name
7. Street Address
8. City
9. State
10. Zip
11. Phone
12. Website

Part 3: Additional School Details

13. School Type
 - a. Public School
 - b. Private School
 - c. Public Charter School
 - d. Private Charter School
 - e. Homeschool (must have 501c3 or Charity Status)
14. If you answered Private or Charter School, is your school associated with a can receive tax deductible grants? Yes/No
15. If you answered homeschool, does your school have 501c3 or charity statu



16. Is your school designated as Title 1? Yes/No
17. School Principal Name
18. Principal's E-mail Address
19. Has school administrative staff or principal been made aware of this project and approved of plans to apply for this program? Y/N
20. On average, how many students will be involved in the garden? Provide a #.
21. How many students are enrolled at your school overall? Provide a #.
22. Can you provide basic demographic information for reporting purposes (number of students on free/reduced lunch, % of students that are [black/white/pacific islander/etc], % of students that are Hispanic or Latino, etc)? These numbers will only be used for reporting purposes and will be used in aggregate with other schools in the School Garden Program.

Part 4: Garden Details

23. Is this a new or existing school garden? New/Existing (if it is an existing garden, how many years has it been at the school?)
24. Is your school garden located on a school campus? Yes/No
25. Do you currently have a garden coordinator at your school? Yes/No
26. If you answered "Yes" to the garden coordinator question, please briefly explain the garden coordinator's role and how they will support the garden.
27. If you are the primary garden coordinator, please briefly describe your role beyond being the main contact for this application.
28. Do you have a garden committee? Who is on the Garden Committee and what is their role with the school?

Part 5: Short Answer Essays: *If you can't answer all of these questions, that's OK. Just do the best you can to give us a good picture of your garden program. If garden maintenance has gotten away from you, don't be afraid to apply. We at Wasatch Community Gardens have seen it all!*

29. Tell us more about your school garden and your plans. We appreciate detailed (yet concise) responses that help us learn more about your program.
30. Please tell us about your short-term plans for your school garden program.
31. Describe how the garden will be used to teach healthy eating habits and sustainable gardening practices.
32. What is your longer term (1-3 years) vision for the garden?
33. How will you ensure that your garden will continue to thrive?
34. *Optional: tell us about any needs or challenges faced by your students, school, and/or your community that make your garden program especially important. This may include, but is not limited to, financial needs, safety issues, health issues, community support, or regulation hurdles.*

Part 6: Payment and Requirements

35. Describe your need for this scholarship to the School Garden Program (Title 1 status, etc.)
36. What would it mean to you for your school to be part of the program?
37. What unique characteristics does your school bring to the program?
38. Write a brief statement demonstrating your commitment to this partnership in lieu of payment.

