WYANDOTTE COUNTY EXTENSION MASTER GARDENERS

Who Can Become an Extension Master Gardener?

Anyone with an interest in horticulture can apply for the Extension Master Gardener Program. If you want to improve your skills and knowledge and you like to work with people, the Extension Master Gardener Program may be for you.

REQUIREMENTS

- Complete and submit application and payment of \$125 by Sept. 1, 2023
- Available for about 40 hours of daytime training classes on Tuesdays 9:00am - 4:00pm from September 12, through October 24, 2023.
- An actively monitored email account.
- Must be a Wyandotte County resident.
- Classes will be held at the Ag Hall of Fame, 630 N 126th
 St., Bonner Springs, KS 66012

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN THE WYANDOTTE COUNTY EXTENSION MASTER GARDENER PROGRAM, PRINT AND RETURN THE APPLICATION BELOW.



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Wyandotte County Extension Master Gardener Application

Please return to:

K-State Research & Extension Attn: Extension Master Gardener Program 1216 North 79th Street Kansas City, KS 66112 E-mail: lloughar@ksu.edu Please type or print legibly Name: _____ Address: _____ Zip Code_____ Home Phone: ______ Work Phone: _____ Occupation: Have you ever applied to the Master Gardener program before? Yes ___ No __ If yes, when ___ where___ Which areas of horticulture are you interested in? (Check) _____ Trees & Shrubs _____ Vegetables ____ Fruits & Nuts ____ Flowers _____ House Plants ____ Lawns Herbs Other Please discuss any training and practical experience you have had in gardening, horticulture, farming, or related fields. How did you hear about the program and why do you wish to become a Wyandotte County Extension Master Gardener.



Training Agreement

I wish to become a Wyandotte County Extension Master Gardener Trainee and will be available for the 7 sessions beginning September 12 through October 24, 2023. There is a \$125 fee for the training course and materials. I understand that if accepted into the Training Program, I am entering into a contract to return 40 hours of volunteer time on approved Extension Master Gardener projects during the calendar year following basic training course completion. I further understand that continuation as an active Extension Master Gardener in good standing requires a minimum of 25 volunteer hours annually on approved Extension Master Gardener projects.

I understand that Extension Master Gardener volunteers may not participate in the Wyandotte County Extension Master Gardener Program for personal gain or for commercial/professional purposes. Extension Master Gardeners are expected to provide recommendations based on research-based information, and to provide educational program assistance in support of the general County Extension educational program.

Extension Master Gardeners operate under the supervision of a trained Extension professional responsible for monitoring their performance and the progress of their continuing education.

Signed:	
Date:	

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Make Check Payable to: WYCO Extension Council

Return your application and payment by **Sept. 1** to: WYCO KSRE Lynn Loughary 1216 N. 79th Street Kansas City, KS 66112