In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, Wyandotte County K-State Research and Extension will offer a live, online Extension Master Gardener (EMG) basic training this Fall 2020, beginning September 3, and ending on December 17. This training will be held weekly on Thursdays from 1 to 4 p.m. Two in-person trainings in addition to the Zoom trainings may be held with dates to be determined. Our goal is to offer EMG basic training, while also respecting the health and wellness of Kansas citizens.

Classes will cover:

- Plant Science
- Flowers: Annuals & Perennials
- Wildlife Management
- Trees & Shrubs
- Landscape Design
- Entomology (Insects)
- Soils
- Pesticide Use & Safety
- Vegetables
- Plant Pathology (Diseases)
- Fruits
- Landscape Maintenance

Requirements:

- Complete and submit application and payment by August 26, 2020. Course can be paid via paypal on county website.
- Available for about 40 to 50 hours of daytime training classes on Thursday afternoons via zoom from September 3, through December 17, 2020. No Thanksgiving class.
- The Fall 2020 EMG training will be offered virtually through Zoom.
- Applicants must have access to the internet, a computer that has microphone and camera capabilities.
- An actively monitored email account.
- You must have at least a High School Diploma or the equivalent.
- Must be a Wyandotte County resident.