

# School Food Gardens Program

**Our vision is a beautiful food garden for learning in every school!**

## Food, learning and growing

At Cultivating Community, we teach students how to grow their own food, recycle food organics and act sustainably.

Our School Food Gardens Program will provide your school with a vibrant and productive food garden and outdoor classroom where all learning can be tied into the curriculum.

Schools are increasingly recognising the benefits for students of having a food garden that is integrated into the curriculum.



## A food garden will provide students with:

- Active, hands-on learning that links to the classroom curriculum
- All the practical skills and knowledge required to grow food
- An enriched outdoor environment to learn and play in
- Increased health and wellbeing from fresh air and sunshine



# We create nourishing and educational food and gardening experiences

Our program is delivered over 12 months and is flexible so that it can be tailored to meet the needs of your school.

Our passionate and highly skilled Garden Educator will deliver up to 4 classes a week and maintain the food garden during school holidays.

Our lessons are adapted to best fit with your curriculum priorities and lessons are planned to ensure classes run in all-weather conditions.

Our program will help your school create a showcase food garden. The cost to your school is \$ 28,564.71 (GST Exc) in 2021 (budgeting for equipment and supplies required to maintain the garden is in addition to the program cost).



## Join the School Food Garden Program!

**For more information or to sign up, please contact:**

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Cultivating Community's first funded project with schools was in 2000 working with kids from across three housing estates to grow food both at home and at school. From this very first seed sown 20 years ago the School Food Gardens Program was born and has evolved into a program that still assists schools today. **To find out more visit: [cultivatingcommunity.org.au/schoolfoodgardens](https://cultivatingcommunity.org.au/schoolfoodgardens)**