



2010 Water Efficient Landscape Classes

**All Classes are Free. Registration Required.
Call 650-349-3000 to Reserve your Space Today!**

CLASS TITLE and DESCRIPTION:	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Efficient Irrigation Design & Installation - Instructor: Frank Niccoli Learn how to install a new system or upgrade an existing system to optimize efficiency and help your garden thrive while conserving water!	Mar. 6 th	9am- 12noon	Sunnyvale
Designing California Native Gardens for the Bay Area - Instructor: Alrie Middlebrook Introduction to designing a sustainable, low-maintenance, and water-conserving garden. Learn how to select and incorporate the native plants that are right for your yard.	Mar. 13 th	10am- 1pm	Redwood City
How to Replace Lawn with California Meadow & Natives - Instructor: Tom Bressan An introduction to replacing lawns with a California meadow and natives. A meadow gives a softer, more interesting transition between hardscape and house. Case study on how the technique can save water, time, and minimize the use of fertilizer.	Mar. 20 th	10am- 1pm	Redwood City
California Native Plants for Bay Area Sustainable Gardens - Instructor: Chris Todd Discover California's vast array of native plant species suitable for the home Garden. Learn about soil preparation for healthy plant growth and sustainability.	Mar. 20 th	9am- 11am	Menlo Park
Water Conservation Techniques for your Garden - Instructor: Lori Palmquist Learn hands-on water conservation strategies to help your garden thrive while saving water! Get the knowledge to optimize your water-efficiency.	Mar. 24 th	7pm- 9pm	Foster City
Drip Irrigation Design and Installation - Instructor: Tom Bressan Learn about: basic irrigation design and system installation with the right components, water techniques, and system maintenance that best suit your landscaping.	Mar. 25 th	7pm- 9pm	Millbrae
Water Conservation Techniques for your Garden - Instructor: Lori Palmquist Learn hands-on water conservation strategies to help your garden thrive while saving water! Get the knowledge to optimize your water-efficiency.	Mar. 27 th	9am- 12noon	Palo Alto
Water Conservation Techniques for your Garden - Instructor: Lori Palmquist Learn hands-on water conservation strategies to help your garden thrive while saving water! Get the knowledge to optimize your water-efficiency.	Apr. 10 th	9am- 12noon	Fremont
California Natives Plants for Bay Area Sustainable Gardens - Instructor: Chris Todd Discover California's vast array of native plant species suitable for the home garden. Learn about soil preparation for healthy plant growth and sustainability.	Apr. 10 th	9am- 12noon	Los Altos Hills
Water-Wise Organic Vegetable Gardening - Instructor: Melanie Hopper An introduction to efficiently and sustainably growing healthy food for you and your family.	Apr. 10 th	9am- 12noon	Mountain View
Making Every Drop Count - Instructor: Tom Bressan Tips and techniques to conserve water in the landscape: Drip irrigation, rain water harvesting and graywater. Learn how to plan, retrofit and maintain an efficient irrigation system.	Apr. 17 th	10am- 1pm	Redwood City
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Designing Water-Efficient Landscaping - Instructor: Patricia Evans Learn about California Natives, soil preparation, and the incorporation of landscape materials to create a beautiful water efficient garden.	Apr. 17 th	1:30-3:30pm	Palo Alto
Lawn Removal, Alternatives & Management - Instructor: Frank Niccoli Replacing lawns appropriately provide beautiful landscape and reduce maintenance costs.	Apr. 24 th	9am-12n	Hayward
Five Alternatives to the Lawn Culture - Instructor: Alrie Middlebrook Including how to remove your lawn, how to eliminate invasive plant species and how to return your soils to a healthy state.	April 24 th	10am-1pm	Redwood City
Replace your Thirsty Lawn w/ California Natives - Instructor: Deva Luna Learn the benefits of using California native plants as alternatives to your lawn. Create a natural habitat that is beautiful and conveys a sense of place.	May 1 st	9am-12n	Mountain View
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Secrets of Drought-Tolerant Landscaping - Instructor: Deva Luna This class offers a holistic approach for achieving a beautiful water-efficient, healthy garden. Learn about plant selection, irrigation and use of mulch and compost.	May 15 th	9am-12noon	Mountain View
No Fuss Landscape Beautification - Instructor: Melinda Rose Create or enhance your garden with beautiful plants that are low maintenance and support sustainability. Learn how sustainable garden practices save money and resources!	May 15 th	9-11am	Daly City
New Water-Efficient Landscape Ordinance - Instructor: Chris Todd Review of the CA. Model Ordinance and the BAWSCA Outdoor Model Ordinance. Hands on demo and calculations of new requirements.	May 22 nd	9am-12n	Palo Alto
Water Efficient Garden Planning - Instructor: Frank Niccoli Learn about plant selections, soil preparation and irrigation techniques to achieve a water - efficient garden.	May 22 nd	9am-12n	Hayward
Sustainable Gardening with California Natives - Instructor: Melanie Hopper Introduction to selecting water-wise plants and creating beauty that sustains you and the environment.	May 22 nd	9am-12n	Belmont
California Natives Water Conserving Strategies & Innovative Materials - Instructor: Stephanie Morris Learn about the garden's natural cycles for sustainability, California Native plants, water conserving strategies, and the use of innovative materials.	May 22 nd	10am-1pm	Milpitas
Water Efficient Garden Planning - Instructor: Frank Niccoli Learn about plant selections, soil preparation and irrigation techniques to achieve a water - efficient garden.	May 26 th	7-9pm	Foster City
Graywater Landscape Irrigation - Instructor: Deva Luna Graywater is water from your shower, clothes washer and bathroom sink that is re-used for landscape irrigation. Learn about different systems and how easy and safe graywater can be.	June 5 th	9am-12n	Mountain View

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