

SCHOOL GARDEN CURRICULUM

Precautions for all age groups:

- Always have adult supervision in the school garden at all times.
- If possible, limit the amount of children physically allowed in the garden at one time.
- Creating stations with various activities helps with this, depending on the age group and level of focus.
- The garden may be wet or cold; make sure children are always dressed appropriately with hats and sunscreen, gloves, and coats etc.
- Review "garden rules," stressing that students need to **respect all life** and should not walk or stand on or in the garden beds, and that students should always ask permission before pulling or eating anything in the garden.





Note: All Ohio Learning Standards in this set coordinate for **Science and Math only**. Any lesson may be modified to fit other subjects by using the following websites:

http://education.ohio.gov/getattachment/Topics/Learningin-Ohio/Science/Ohios-Learning-Standards-and-MC/SciFinalStandards121018.pdf.aspx?lang=en-USStandards

http://education.ohio.gov/getattachment/Topics/Learningin-Ohio/Mathematics/Ohio-s-Learning-Standards-in-Mathematics/MATH-Standards-2017.pdf.aspx?lang=en-US