

# Fact Sheet

# School Garden Project



## About Us

Eat.Grow.Learn. The School Garden Project is dedicated to increasing science knowledge, assisting children in making healthy eating choices, teaching children to respect the earth and strengthening their confidence. We send volunteers throughout Lane County schools to develop onsite vegetable gardens for the kids to tend to.

30.4 million students in the US can't afford school lunch

About 85% of all wildfires yearly are started by humans

Obesity rates have tripled in the last decade

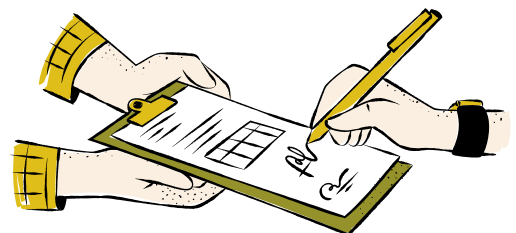
## What We Offer

### How School Gardens Can Help Curb Arson

A powerful story angle for this project is its potential to address youth arson by cultivating a deep respect for nature. By teaching students the value of growth, patience, accountability and values of nature. This program highlights how hands on experiences with nature can reshape attitudes, and build respect for the environment, which in turn can prevent youth misbehavior.

### Parent quote

"This has helped my son gain a sense of responsibility and care for another living thing- which has made him less likely to engage in destructive behaviors at home."



## Work with Us



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