

SCHOOL GARDEN AND EDUCATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

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The Application

Please complete this application and submit by email ONLY in its entirety. Attention to detail and completeness will all be included in the scoring and awarding process.

Submit applications by email to: schoolgardens@ed.sc.gov

Due Date: Friday, December 4, 2020 at 5:00 pm EST

Contact Name:		
Job Position:		
Email and Phone:		
School District:		
School Name:		
Street Address:		
City and Zip Code:		
District Enrollment for 2020-21:		School Enrollment for 2020-21:
Participate in the National School Lunch/Breakfast Program:	YES	NO
Percentage of school's students that are eligible for free or reduced price lunch:		
Does the school participate in Community Eligibility Provision (CEP):	YES	NO
Principal and Email address:		
School Food Service Director and Email address:		
Cafeteria Manager and Email address:		
Teacher and Email address:		
Teacher and Email address:		
Teacher and Email address:		
Signatures Required:		
Principal:		
School Food Service Director:		
Cafeteria Manager:		
Teacher:		
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Please answer the following questions. Attach additional pages as needed.

1. What does your school/district expect to gain if awarded the School Garden and Education Instruction assistance?

2. Explain how the school will implement and utilize the garden to integrate Farm to School initiatives into classroom and/or cafeteria activities (i.e. taste tests, school farmer's market, hosting a farm event, etc.). Explain plans for sustainability (short term and long term goals) for the garden. Include any plans to incorporate Certified SC Grown produce on the school menu or participation in the Certified South Carolina Associate Program.

3. Who will serve on your Farm to School Team? Identify team leader and members of the school's garden team (must include at least 3 teachers and a food service representative). Include team member's related knowledge and experience to ensure successful implementation. Include any other applicable partnerships (i.e. local farmer, local chef, parent, community leader, master gardener, etc.)

4. Does your school currently have an active garden? Yes No

If yes, please explain.