

## School Gardening Resources for Teachers

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[www.ahs.org/youth\\_gardening/index.htm](http://www.ahs.org/youth_gardening/index.htm) - American Horticultural Society Youth Gardening  
[www.csgn.org/index.php](http://www.csgn.org/index.php) - California School Garden Network  
[www.chicagobotanic.org/schoolgarden/index.php](http://www.chicagobotanic.org/schoolgarden/index.php) - Chicago Botanic Garden  
[www.gardenmosaics.cornell.edu/](http://www.gardenmosaics.cornell.edu/) -Garden Mosaics, Cornell University  
<http://myfwc.com/educator/schoolya.html> - Florida Schoolyard Wildlife Project: Effective Outdoor Classrooms  
[www.imgkids.us/](http://www.imgkids.us/) - Junior Master Gardener  
[www.kidsgardening.com/](http://www.kidsgardening.com/) - National Gardening Association – Kids Gardening  
[www.nwf.org/schoolyard/](http://www.nwf.org/schoolyard/) - National Wildlife Federation – Schoolyard Habitats  
[www.schoolgardenwizard.org/](http://www.schoolgardenwizard.org/) - School Garden Wizard, Chicago Botanic Garden  
[www.edibleschoolyard.org/homepage.html](http://www.edibleschoolyard.org/homepage.html) - The Edible School Yard Project  
[www.thefoodproject.org/](http://www.thefoodproject.org/) -“social change through sustainable agriculture”  
[www.ecostudies.org/syefest/appen1main.htm](http://www.ecostudies.org/syefest/appen1main.htm) - Schoolyard Ecology Leaders Handbook  
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[http://myfwc.com/educator/friendly\\_activities.htm](http://myfwc.com/educator/friendly_activities.htm) - Florida Wildlife Commission, FCAT style activities for Schoolyard Wildlife Activity Guide

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[www.regionalconservation.org](http://www.regionalconservation.org) - Institute for Regional Conservation  
<http://fl.water.usgs.gov/Miami/pineland/> - Pine Rockland Working Group  
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## **Butterfly Gardening**

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[www.naba.org](http://www.naba.org) – North American Butterfly Association

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[www.browardbutterflies.org](http://www.browardbutterflies.org) – Broward Chapter of NABA

## **Water Gardens**

[www.nawgs.com](http://www.nawgs.com) - North American Water Garden Society

<http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/EP095> - UF publication on native aquatic plants for water gardens

<http://aquat1.ifas.ufl.edu/wgindex.html> - UF resource for water garden hobbyist

[www.urbanext.uiuc.edu/watergarden](http://www.urbanext.uiuc.edu/watergarden) - extensive resource from University of Illinois

<http://aggie-horticulture.tamu.edu/extension/homelandscapes/watergarden> - TAMU

## **Educator Supplies**

[www.kidsgardeningstore.com](http://www.kidsgardeningstore.com) - National Gardening Association. 800.538.7476

[www.acornnaturalists.com](http://www.acornnaturalists.com) - Acorn Naturalists. 800.422.8886

[www.museumproducts.net](http://www.museumproducts.net) - Museum Products. 800.395.5400