



What do I need to become a Master Gardener?

- A basic **interest and knowledge** about landscape, food and/or flower gardening
- **Enthusiasm** for acquiring and sharing horticultural knowledge and skills
- Interest and ability to **commit** adequate time, a one-time small investment of personal resources, and concentration to attend training sessions
- Interest in **teaching** others
- Ability to **communicate** written and verbally
- **Understanding** of Cornell Cooperative Extension's educational mission
- **Flexible time schedule** to allow participation in the program
- **Willingness to volunteer** time on horticultural projects and functions to help meet the goals of the county's Cornell Cooperative Extension Program.