

# AUBURN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Auburn Public Library is Partnering with Auburn Youth and Family Services (AYFS) to offer a 3-Session Garden Program!



## GARDEN PROGRAM!



**AGES 7 – 12 | THREE SESSIONS**

**Actual raised bed gardening will be at Auburn Youth and Family Services**

**This is a 3-session program on the following dates and times at the Library:**

PROGRAM 1		<b>All Library Sessions</b> <b>THURSDAYS   2:00pm – 3:00pm</b> July 25 <sup>th</sup>   August 1 <sup>st</sup>   August 8 <sup>th</sup>	Pot Planting, Seeds, and Roots
PROGRAM 2			Earthworms and Pollinators
PROGRAM 3			Community Gardens and Food Banks

**Each Camper Will Receive a Gardening Kit to Use and Keep**

**Campers must commit to the three Library programs and at least two gardening sessions at AYFS**

The gardening schedule at AYFS and additional information about the gardening will be available to campers at the first program.

Campers will have multiple dates from which to choose a minimum of two visits to the gardens at AYFS

Library and AYFS staff will lead and participate in the gardening!

**PARENTS / CAREGIVERS:** After checking your child in to camp or a gardening session you may leave and return for your child(ren) after the program or gardening session. Please plan to sign a waiver and provide contact/emergency information.

We look forward to this collaborative initiative with AYFS!

Other contributors are Bell's Lawn and Garden for donating plants and Masterman's for building the raised bed gardens!

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