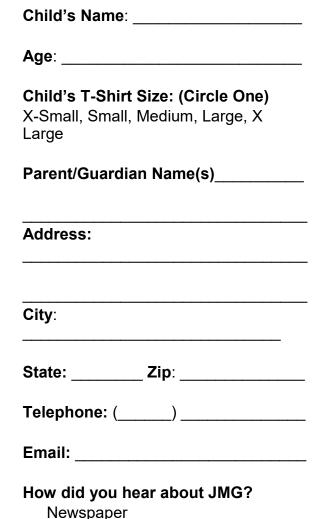
Classes begin April 5th and run through August 9th. During the school year, classes are 4-5:30 pm and during the summer months are 1-2:30 pm. Please complete the registration form and return it to the UW-Extension office by **Friday, March 30.**



School/Afterschool Program

Other:

Radio

Family/Friend



The Fond du Lac County Junior Master Gardener (JMG) Program receives support from the following:

- University of Wisconsin-Extension
- Fond du Lac Area Foundation
- Fond du Lac Area United Way
- Fond du Lac County Master Gardener Program

FoodWlse is funded by the USDA Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program - SNAP. SNAP/FoodShare helps families buy the food they need for good health. Visit <u>access.wi.gov</u> to learn how to apply for food assistance or call 1-888-446-1239 (Fond du Lac) or 1-888-794-5556 (Sheboygan).

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Link to long statement: http://www.fns.usda.gov/fns-nondiscrimination-statement.



Junior Master Gardener (JMG) Program



"Come Grow With Us"



Fond du Lac County Junior Master Gardener Program

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What is JMG?

The Junior Master Gardener (JMG) Program is a "hands on" youth gardening/cooking program.

JMG is about GARDENING – with guidance from the Master Gardeners, youth are involved in the entire gardening process, from selecting and planting seeds to harvesting.

JMG is about COOKING – with the assistance of Nutrition Educators, youth will prepare and cook healthy foods from the garden.

JMG is about HEALTHY FOOD - how it makes it from the ground to the dinner table.

JMG is about TEAM WORK and FRIENDSHIP – how to work together as a team in the garden and in the kitchen.

JMG is about COMMUNITY SERVICE – how to give back to the community through donations of food and flowers to area food pantries and senior centers.

JMG is about FUN – how to make learning fun! Additional activities include: a field trip, guest speakers, a parent night, a scavenger hunt, science experiments and studying insects, soil and "lasagna gardening."

Who can join JMG?

- Youth, ages 8-12 years old
- Youth that have an interest in active outdoor activities, "digging" in the dirt, caring for plants, cooking in the kitchen, eating healthy snacks and meeting new friends
- Parents, grandparents & younger siblings (if supervised by an adult) are welcome at all sessions

What else do I need to know?

- JMG is a 12 week program with a schedule to accommodate the end & beginning of the school year.
- All events are held at the UW-Extension office (except special events, like field trips.)
- To learn more about JMG, please call the Fond du Lac County UW-Extension office at (920) 929-3171, or visit our website at: https://fonddulac.uwex.edu/hort/jmg/.

Who works with JMG?

The JMG Program is offered by the University of Wisconsin-Extension. It is a collaboration between the Fond du Lac County Master Gardeners and the FoodWIse Program.

UW-Extension Fond du Lac County JMG Program staff includes:

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