

# PURDUE EXTENSION MASTER GARDENER

## Basic Training



### PURDUE EXTENSION MASTER GARDENER PROGRAM

#### Porter County

#### Class Schedule\*

Thursdays, February 13 - May 15, 2025 from  
1:00-4:00 PM  
Pinney Purdue Ag Center  
11402 S County Line Rd, Wanatah, IN 46390

February 13	Purdue EMG Orientation & Animal Damage
February 20	Plant Science
February 27	Soils & Plant Nutrition
March 6	Insects Identification & Control
March 13	Plant Disease Diagnosis
March 20	Herbaceous Ornamentals
March 27	Lawn Care
April 3	Vegetable Gardening
April 10	Woody Ornamentals
April 17	Weeds and Invasive Pests
April 24	Pesticide Safety and Alternatives
May 1	Fruit Gardening
May 8	Final Exam
May 15	What's Next and Meet Other EMGs

\*Schedule subject to change

Are you interested in assisting Purdue Extension with home horticulture education in your local community? Become a Purdue Extension Master Gardener and receive training in horticulture to equip you to fulfill this educational role through volunteering in a variety of projects!

#### Step 1: Application (Due January 31st)

Reach out to Porter County Extension Office to get an application.

- Stop by at: 155 Indiana Ave, Suite 301, Valparaiso, IN 46383
- Call for application to be sent: 219-465-3555

#### Step 2: Registration and Fees

- \$200 per person
- Application and payment accepted starting: December 4, 2024

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