For further information, to learn more about the kits or arrange a lesson or presentation, contact the Program Coordinator:



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The Master Gardener program is a part of Washington State University Extension presenting science-based research on a variety of environmental subjects including, plants, pest management and gardening.

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**WSU Extension** Master Gardener Leaching Kits Environmental Education

A FREE curricular resource for schools, community groups, Master Gardener clinics AND MORE...

in a box!



Master Gardener Teaching Kits are designed to bring FREE environmental education to schools, community groups, parks and recreation departments, senior centers, nursing homes, youth programs, and Master Gardener clinics.

Each kit is a classroom in a box focusing on one scientific concept with curricula that can be easily adjusted to any age group, from kindergartners to teen agers to seniors.

Contents of the kits include: DVD's, hand lenses, petri dishes, posters, storybooks and puppets. In addition, there is a handbook with background information, diagrams, worksheets, teaching tips and lesson plans. A folding luggage cart is provided for easy transport.

Every kit is tailored to its subject. For instance, the water kit includes a watershed model that can be used to illustrate the cause and effects of pollution by demonstrating water runoff from our homes to the lakes, rivers, and ocean nearby.

There are currently 10 kits available for a 2-3 week loan. Plus, a Master Gardener may be available to make a presentation or teach a lesson using the kits.

Each kit may be checked out for three weeks:

Roots and Shoots
Seeds and Flowers

TreesWater

Pollinators

• Worms

Observation Chamber

Insects

Soil and Compost

Native Plants/

