

Master Gardener Core Training

Class Schedule

University of Missouri Extension Center, 260 Brown Road, St. Peters, 63376

Class Time: 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Class	Date*	Topic*	Instructor
1	Feb 27	Program Orientation Colors	Justin Keay, Extension Specialist, MGs, Dave Hileman, Extension Specialist
2	Mar 6	Plants and Their Environment	Val Mertz, Master Gardener
3	Mar 13	Soils, Plant Nutrition and Nutrient Management	Justin Keay, Extension Specialist
4	Mar 20	Plant Propagation	Mary Medina, Master Gardener Evelyn Franks, Master Gardener
5	Mar 27	Preventing and Managing Plant Diseases	Nathan Brandt, former Extension Specialist
6	Apr 3	Residential Landscaping	Debi Kelly, Extension Specialist
7	Apr 10	Fruit Production	Marsha Brown, Master Gardener
8	Apr 17	Managing Lawns and Turfgrass	Matt Herring, Extension Specialist
9	Apr 24	Vegetable Gardening	Justin Keay, Extension Specialist
10	May 1	Native Plants	Carol Grote, Master Gardener
11	May 8	Establishment and Care of Woody Ornamentals	Nathan Brandt, former Extension Specialist
12	May 15	Insects	Robert Marquis, UMSL Professor of Evolutionary Ecology & Plant – Herbivore Interactions
13	May 22	Herbaceous Ornamentals	Chuck Baur, Master Gardener
14	May 29	Using Pesticides Safely in the Home and Garden	Matt Herring, Extension Specialist
15	Jun 5	Program closing; garden tours; meet MGs	Justin Keay, Extension Specialist and Master Gardeners

*Order of topics is subject to change

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