Connect with your Community!
Start your own group in the Kids Garden Community.

The Kids Garden Community is an online community powered by KidsGardening to support individuals, families, and organizations with the skills, tools, and connections they need to garden with kids and grow transformative youth gardening programs.

Why host a group in the Kids Garden Community?

A group for your organization will provide a central location for connection, discussions, and resource-sharing among your network. Plus, members of your subgroup will have access to all other groups and resources within the Kids Garden Community to expand their learning and impact!

With a group, your organization can:
- Connect with 7,000+ members and organizations to grow your network
- Build and strengthen relationships between your members
- Be part of a growing youth garden movement

Reach out to discuss how a group can work for you!
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Groups are offered for a fee to cover a small portion of the platform costs.*

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<th>Group</th>
<th>Microsite (A group with expanded features)</th>
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<td>Set up fee for first 2 months – $500</td>
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<td>Annual fee – $850/yr</td>
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*The Kids Garden Community platform and programming costs $75,000 annually. Group fees help ensure that we can keep this community free for members to use! We’re happy to discuss a customized option to meet your group needs.
More about groups...

### Who are groups for?

A group can be created for:
- Organizations of any size who want to encourage discussion and connection among your members
- A one-time or recurring event so that attendees have a centralized place to communicate with each other
- A cohort within your organization (e.g. grantees, a project group, etc.) that needs a space for peer learning and sharing
- Many other uses! Let’s chat!

### Types of groups

There are two types of groups – a basic group and an enhanced group called a microsite.

Groups are set up by the Kids Garden Community manager and group admins receive ongoing training, support, and technical assistance.

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<td>Option to be private (only invited members can join) or public (any member can join)</td>
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<td>Unique discussion forum</td>
<td>• Custom branding and design</td>
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<td>Unique library for resource sharing</td>
<td>• Ability to create web pages within the microsite</td>
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### Connect With Us!

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