

SUSTAINABLE CROPS PRODUCTION

- ✓ **Associate in Applied Science in Horticulture Technology**
- ✓ **Associate in Science in Horticulture Technology**
- ✓ **Horticulture Certificate**

Coursework available in Sustainable Crops Production includes:

- Principles of Horticulture
- Sustainable Horticultural Practices
- Market Gardening – Fall/Winter Production
- Market Gardening – Spring/Summer Production
- Home Gardening - Fruits and Vegetables
- Horticultural Soil Science
- Greenhouse Operations
- Plant Propagation
- Plant Material Identification Courses
- Nursery Management and Operations
- Horticulture Marketing

There is a national emerging interest in local food systems that includes farmers' markets, community-supported agriculture, food co-ops, and direct sales from the farm. In addition, the consumer's desire for a safe and secure food supply and for environmentally-sound production methods has created a need for more local production of sustainable horticultural food crops.

This field of study is designed to help an individual develop the skills to produce horticultural food crops using eco-friendly methods. Studies include sustainable production methods of vegetables, small fruits, tree fruits, cut flowers, herbs and other niche crops. Season extension and year-round market gardening are emphasized. In addition to classroom study, hands-on growing experience and local farm field-trip studies create a unique plan of study for beginning and current direct market producers.



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DEGREES OFFERED:

Associate in Applied Science

- **Horticulture Technology**
 - Horticulture Therapy Emphasis
 - Landscape Contracting Emphasis
 - Landscape Design Emphasis
 - Nursery & Greenhouse Production Emphasis
 - Retail Floristry Emphasis
 - Sustainable Crops Production Emphasis
- **Turfgrass Management**

Associate in Science

- **Horticulture Technology**

Certificate Programs

- **Horticulture**
- **Retail Floristry**

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