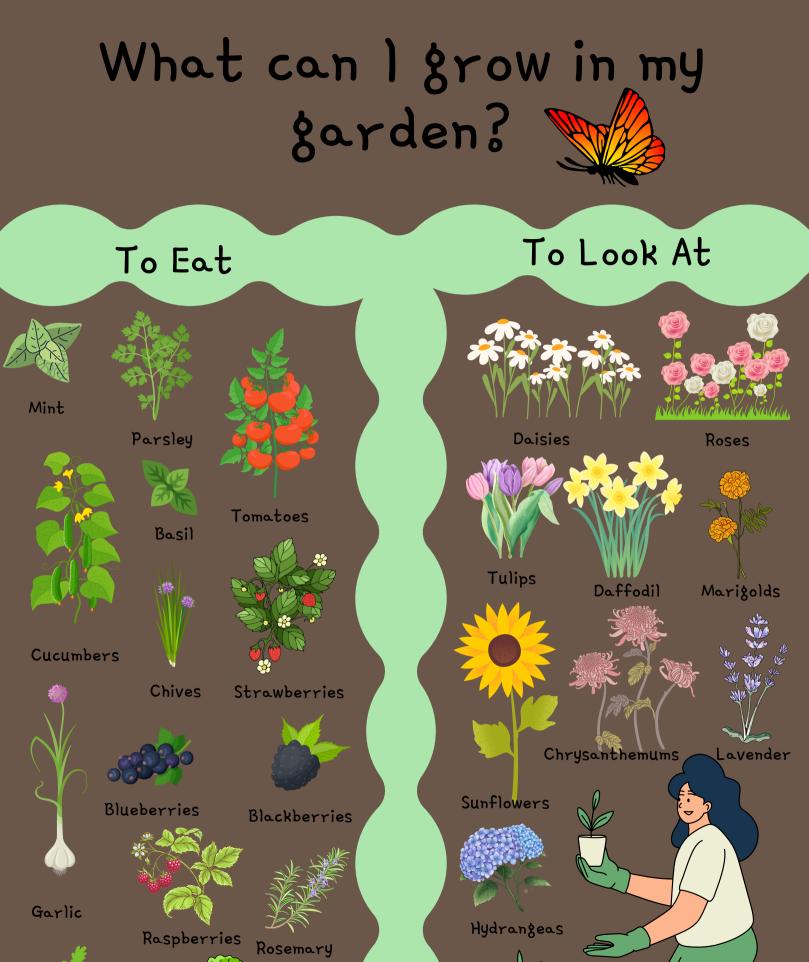
What is gardening?

Gardening means to grow plants that are meant to be eaten or to be pretty to look at.

Gardeners usually only grow plants for themselves or for their family.

Gardeners are not the same as farmers. Farmers have a lot of land. They have animals. They grow food for lots of people.



Carrots

Lettuce

Maggie's Garden

Maggie Harrington was a girl who lived during the 1860s. The museum has a garden inspired by the garden that she might have taken care of.





Lavender



Tarragon

Seed Balls

- I. Roll clay into a ball.
- 2. Pinch the ball into a cup-like shape.
- 3. Fill this "cup" with dirt and seeds.
- 4. Close the opening.
- 5. Roll the clay back into a ball shape.
- 6.Leave the ball on a dirt area with lots of sun and water.
- 7.Watch as your seeds turn into flowers.

Take a picture or draw a picture of the plants that grow. Bring it to the museum for your prize. You will be entered into a raffle for bigger prizes!



Gardening Quiz

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Email the words "Watkins-Garden" and your answers to cpreut@watkinsmuseum.org

Students missing only one answer or less will receive a prize and be entered into the raffle.

1. Which option is an example of something that people can grow in a garden?

- a) carrots
- b) bread
- c) rabbits

2. True of False: Gardeners are different from farmers.

- a) True
- b) False

3. Which of these plants CAN NOT be found in Maggie's garden?

- a) lavender
- b) thyme
- c) sunflowers

4.What is a garden?

- a) a plot of land where people grow flowers
- b) a plot of land where people grow food for their family
- c) both answers can be correct

5.1f you had a garden of your own, what would you grow in it?