

## Miami Dade College Earth Ethics Institute Wolfson Gardens

### 10 to 15 Hour Service-Learning Project

The Wolfson Campus Gardens include the Culinary Garden located by the Building 7 parking garage and the Zen Oasis Garden located in front of Building 1 the fountains. These gardens provide students the opportunity to have a hands-on gardening experience while learning about important issues regarding health, nutrition, and physical fitness.

During this project, students will be working with one another to plant, maintain, and water the gardens on the Wolfson Campus (Culinary and Oasis Gardens). Students will also experience gardening at farms off-campus, in the local community. At home assignments focused on the importance of health and nutrition will also be given and students will broaden their knowledge about growing their own food.

At the end of their service-learning activity, students are required to complete a survey regarding their service-learning experience with the Earth Ethics Institute. [Please click here to access the survey.](#)

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<u>Date:</u>	<u>Location:</u>	<u>Activity:</u>	<u>Hours:</u>
<b>September</b>	Culinary Garden	Garden Clean-up/ getting ready to plant	1.5 hours
<b>September</b>	Zen Oasis Garden	Planting Day	1.5 hours
<b>October</b>	Culinary Garden	Weeding & sprouting	1.5 hours
<b>October</b>	Culinary Garden	Group Activity: “Pesticides & More”	1.5 hours
<b>November</b>	Culinary Garden	Group Activity: “Basics about vegetables”	1.5 hours
<b>November</b>	Community Garden	Off Campus Garden Activity	3 hours
<b>December</b>	Culinary Garden	Film & Assignment	1.5 hours
<b>December</b>	Community Garden	Off Campus Garden Activity	3 hours