



# FREE GARDENING CLASSES!

presented by Northshore Utility District  
& The Savvy Gardener



All classes held at:

Northshore Utility District  
6830 NE 185th St.  
Kenmore, WA 98028



**Reserve your spot early!**

Call (425) 398-4417 or email  
conservation@nud.net.

## BRAND NEW OR EXPERIENCED GARDENERS:

Join us for inspiring and expert advice on creating your *healthy, sustainable, & beautiful* gardens & landscapes.

 TUES, MARCH 24: 6:30-8PM

### "Getting Plants off to a Great Start"

**Presenter: Emily Bishton**, landscape designer and environmental educator

If you are a newer gardener or simply want a refresher on gardening essentials—this class is for you! Emily will cover how to build and improve your soil, selecting plants that will look gorgeous and thrive in your site with less maintenance, best planting times, proper fertilizer use and watering techniques for long-term life, and much more! Emily is a master gardener so bring your own questions!

 TUES, APRIL 21: 6:30-8PM

### "Sustainable Veggie Gardening"

**Presenter: Ladd Smith**, co-owner of In-Harmony Sustainable Landscapes

Join the local food movement—learn how to create your own organic food garden! Ladd will cover the foundations of sustainably growing your own food. From working with your site and soil, to understanding the why's and how's of crop rotation, the best varieties for the Pacific Northwest, and much more, this class will help you reap a bountiful harvest!

 TUES, MAY 26: 6:30-8PM

### "Flora of the Pacific Northwest"

**Presenter: Susie Egan**, owner, Cottage Lake Gardens

Want a more beautiful, earth-friendly, AND low maintenance landscape? Join Susie to learn about the beauty and abundance of plants native—and adapted—to the Pacific Northwest, and how to work successfully with this rich palette in your own yard. Susie will share her favorite types of plants—native trees, shrubs, perennials, ferns and ground-covers. With her master gardener expertise, you'll find which of the rich varieties of native plants will work best for you and how to make them feel right at home!

## More FREE resources!

Find more on other free local gardening classes, as well as sustainable gardening resources at [www.savingwater.org](http://www.savingwater.org) and [www.nud.net](http://www.nud.net).

The Savvy Gardener Class Series is brought to you by:



**The Savvy Gardener** wants to inspire you while sharing practical advice on creating and maintaining beautiful, healthy landscapes that are good for you and good for the environment.