

**Free Compost Workshops**  
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**OSU Extension Service – Lane County  
and City of Eugene**



For beginning to experienced composters, these hands-on workshops will cover the basics of how composting works, which materials to use, and the different methods and types of compost bins available. Workshops are led by certified OSU Extension Service - Lane County Compost Specialists. Pre-registration is not required.

**2009 Compost Demonstration Schedule**

Saturday, February 28	10 a.m. - noon	GrassRoots Garden
Saturday, March 14	10 a.m. - noon	River House Compost Education site
Saturday, March 28	10 a.m. - noon	GrassRoots Garden
Saturday, April 11	10 a.m. - noon	River House Compost Education site
Saturday, April 18	10 a.m. - noon	Community Sharing Garden
Saturday, April 25	10 a.m. - noon	GrassRoots Garden
Saturday, May 16	10 a.m. - noon	River House Compost Education site
Saturday, September 12	10 a.m. - noon	River House Compost Education site
Saturday, September 26	10 a.m. - noon	GrassRoots Garden
Saturday, October 10	10 a.m. - noon	River House Compost Education site
Saturday, October 24	10 a.m. - noon	Community Sharing Garden
Saturday, October 24	10 a.m. - noon	GrassRoots Garden

The GrassRoots Garden is located behind St. Thomas Episcopal Church at 1465 Coburg Rd., Eugene.

River House Compost Education Site is located behind the River House at 301 N. Adams, Eugene (along the bike path in East Maurie Jacobs Park).

The Community Sharing garden is located on the corner of Birch and N St. in Cottage Grove.

For more information about composting contact the OSU Extension Service – Lane County Master Gardener hotline at 541-682-4247 or email to [compost.specialist@oregonstate.edu](mailto:compost.specialist@oregonstate.edu).

Visit the following websites:

[www.eugenerecycles.org](http://www.eugenerecycles.org)

<http://extension.oregonstate.edu/lane/gardens/compost>

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# Worm Bin Composting Workshops



**Extension Service  
Lane County**

Learn the fun and easy way to compost by letting worms eat your garbage! The OSU Extension Service – Lane County Compost Specialists teach workshops designed to get you off to a good start in the great world of worm bin composting. Learn how to maintain a worm bin effectively, including, food management, harvesting, pests of the bin, minimizing problems, and how to use those wonderful castings!

### Workshop participants will receive:

One pre-assembled worm bin, worms, bedding mix, 1½ hours of instruction, handouts, and follow-up support.

When:	Saturday	February 14, 2009	10 a.m. - noon
	Saturday	March 21, 2009	10 a.m. - noon
	Saturday	September 19, 2009	10 a.m. - noon
	Saturday	October 17, 2009	10 a.m. - noon

Where: OSU Extension Service – Lane County Auditorium  
950 West 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Eugene 97402

Price: **\$40 pre-paid and pre-registered. (Two people in the same family may take the class together and share one bin.)** No walk-ins on the day of the class will be accepted. No registrations by telephone or email. Pre-paid registrations must be received in the Extension office by 5 p.m. the Tuesday before the morning of the class.

The OSU Extension Service – Lane County office is closed on Friday. Doors are open Monday – Thursday, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. and 2 – 5 p.m. For further questions call 541-682-7308 or email: [compost.specialist@oregonstate.edu](mailto:compost.specialist@oregonstate.edu).

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Additional person attending \_\_\_\_\_

Paid: Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_\_\_

Workshop - Please check:

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