GOOD EARTH making compost and using wormeries in schools



Audience: Governors, volunteers, parent helpers, teachers and/or learning support assistants responsible for growing in school

Context: This half day course is a hands-on crash course in all things compost and a great opportunity to get dirty! Composting waste from the school garden and maybe the school kitchen is a really important part of being a sustainable school helping to create a virtuous circle: growing fruit and vegetables, eating healthily, composting our waste, nourishing our growing area organically.

The course will take place at Holt Hall to give delegates the benefit of learning in the established 'Roots and Shoots' Victorian Walled Garden and the session will be led by Chris Wright (Roots and Shoots Project Coordinator). There will be plenty of time to ask Chris your own school specific questions.

This course will help delegates:

- understand how to make and use compost
- learn how to establish and maintain a healthy wormery
- work through any existing issues they are experiencing

Important Information:

Parts, or the majority, of the training will be outside, whatever the weather!

To ensure you are comfortable please wear/bring:

Walking boots or walking shoes/trainers that you don't mind getting muddy (waterproof if you have them) Hat and gloves

Long trousers Lots of warm layers Waterproof coat and trousers Suncream (if it's hot) Water bottle

Course Code: ECNK2 A Course Date: 25.9.12 from 2.00 – 5.00 pm at Holt Hall Course Fees:



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