

Book List

Topic: Gardens & Food

Grade Level: PreK-3rd

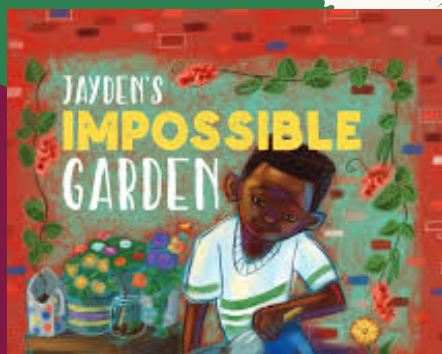
Gardening elevates your mood and promotes physical activity. Use these books to invite people to engage in growing activities.



Harvesting Friends

by Kathleen Contreras

In this bilingual picture book, Lupe, her family and friends learn they can harvest more than just fruits and vegetables in their community garden.



Jayden's Impossible Garden

by Méline Mangal

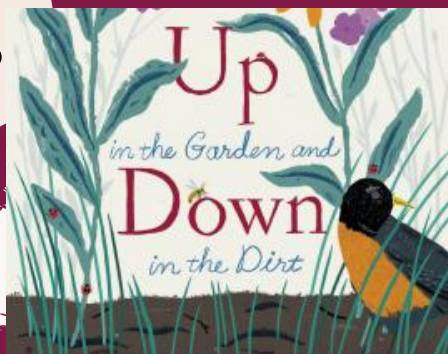
With the help of Mr. Curtis, Jayden shows his community the magic of nature in the city.



Harlem Grown (also available in Spanish)

by Tony Hillery

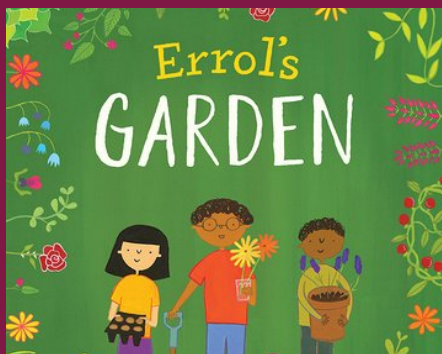
Join the community of Harlem as they transform a vacant lot into an urban oasis for growing and thriving.



Up in the Garden and Down in the Dirt

by Kate Messner

Explore the world underground helping your garden grow! Follow along as a girl and her grandmother plan their garden.



Errol's Garden (also available in Spanish)

by Gillian Hibbs

An inclusive tale about how one boy's dream of a garden unites a community in a positive and enriching experience.



Thank a Farmer

by Maria Gianferrari

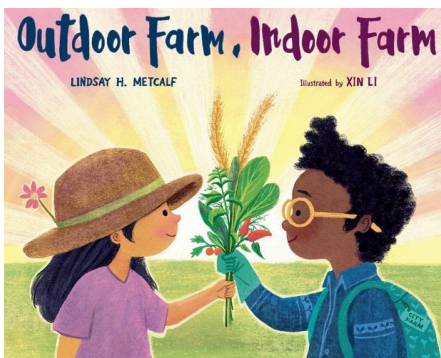
This book gently reminds us to think about where our food comes from and to give thanks to the people who provide us with food.

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Outdoor Farm, Indoor Farm

by Lindsay H. Metcalf

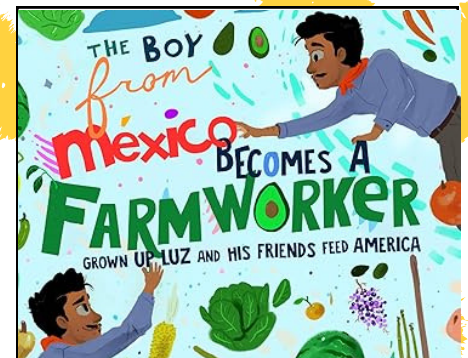
Learn about the innovations happening in food production! Explore how the food you eat is grown indoors and out.



Secret Gardeners

by Lina Laurent

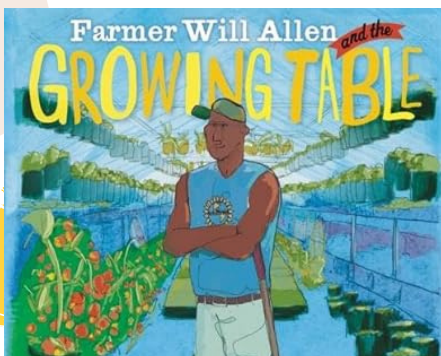
Three children transform an overgrown city yard into a thriving community garden with the help of a neighbor.



The Boy from Mexico Becomes a Farmworker

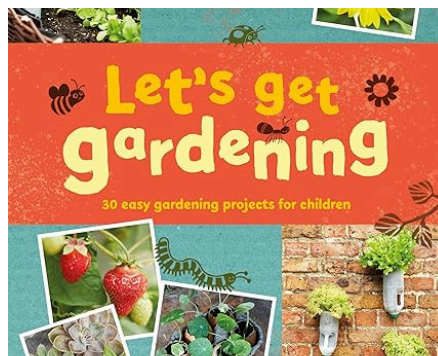
by Edward Dennis

Immerse readers in a vibrant narrative about farmworkers' dedicated efforts in bringing produce to American tables.



Farmer Will Allen and the Growing Table

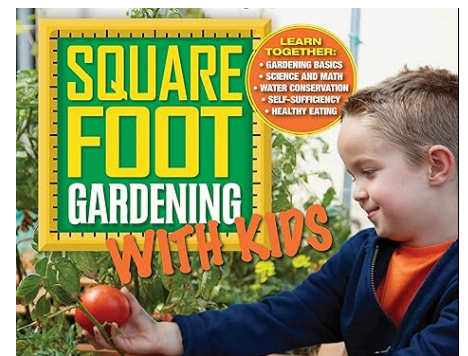
by Jacqueline Briggs Martin
Will looked at an abandoned city lot in Milwaukee he saw a table, big enough to feed the whole world.



Let's Get Gardening

by DK

A colorful guide featuring 30 easy gardening projects, kids will learn to grow their own fruits and vegetables, attract wildlife such as butterflies.



Square Foot Gardening with Kids

by Mel Bartholomew

Learn how to break down your gardening into the geometry of a gridded box for easy growing!