

GARDENING

SAINTS GLOBAL MEMBER

NAME: _____

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SKILL BADGE ADVISOR

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STEP 1 | DISCOVER

INITIALS

- a) Explain common gardening hazards (tools, heat, insects, chemicals) and how to prevent and respond to them. (TLX: 1.1) _____
- b) Explain health concerns related to gardening and basic first aid for cuts, insect bites, heat reactions, and chemical exposure. (TLX: 1.1) _____
- c) Explain the role of soil, sunlight, water, and nutrients in healthy plant growth. (TLX: 1.2) _____

STEP 2 | PLAN

INITIALS

- a) Plan a small garden that includes vegetables and flowers, selecting appropriate plants for your climate and season. (TLX: 1.4) _____
- b) Explain how you will protect your plants from pests, weather, and poor soil conditions using safe methods. (TLX: 1.4) _____

STEP 3 | ACT

INITIALS

- a) Grow at least six vegetables (three from seed and three from seedlings) through harvest. (TLX: 2.0) _____
- b) Grow at least six flowering plants (three from seed and three from seedlings) through flowering. (TLX: 2.0) _____
- c) Test seed germination by planting or sprouting at least 20 seeds and explaining the results. (TLX: 1.8) _____

- d) Identify five common garden pests or plant problems and demonstrate at least one organic solution. (TLX: 1.8) _____
- e) Complete one approved gardening project such as composting, container gardening, raised beds, or hydroponics. (TLX: 2.0) _____

STEP 4 | REFLECT

INITIALS

- a) Explain what gardening taught you about patience, responsibility, and stewardship. (TLX: 1.2) _____
- b) Describe how growing food or flowers can benefit families, communities, or those in need. (TLX: 1.2) _____

END OF REQUIREMENTS

BY SIGNING BELOW, I CERTIFY TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE THAT ALL REQUIREMENTS WERE MET AT OR ABOVE THE REQUIRED STANDARDS AS OUTLINED IN THE BADGE REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST.

SKILL BADGE ADVISOR

DATE (YYYY-MM-DD)