



2009-2010

The world in your garden

Starting with the United States, young plant explorers will travel the planet through plants. What grows in the backyard or the arboretum or is available in the supermarket may have started in New Jersey or it may have come from Asia. Discover all the wheres, hows, whys, whats and whos of plants with Junior Master Gardeners at The Frelinghuysen Arboretum.

Junior Master Gardeners is for young people in grades 3-5. Kids needn't have taken any other youth horticulture classes at the Arboretum but they must be willing to get dirty, help others, and have fun. This year's JMG class will focus on plants from around the world and at the Arboretum. JMG's will travel the world without leaving home learning about plants from near and far and their impact good and bad. At the end of the each year, young gardeners will

participate in a plant focused service project based on what they've learned and they will become certified Junior Master Gardeners.

Designed to connect kids to the natural world in an integrated hand-on learning experience, Junior Master Gardeners was created by the University Cooperative Extension, the same organization that coordinates the Master Gardener program in each state in the U.S. - a program known for it's educational outreach and service to the community.

The 2009-2010 JMG group will meet every other Wednesday during the school year, beginning October 5 - a full schedule will be provided to all registrants.

If you have more questions, please call or email Gwen Montgomery at 973.631.5004 or gmontgomery@morrisparks.net

Registration

Child's First Name
Last Name
Parent's Name
Address
Home Phone
Work Phone
Email
Emergency Contact
Emergency Phone

My registration fee is included.
Make check payable to Friends.

Registration and materials fee: \$150 for members of The Friends of the Frelinghuysen Arboretum, \$175 for non-members.

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Travel the world
without leaving
your lawn chair

- Each Junior Master Gardener will:
- Travel the world from New Jersey to the rest of the world without leaving home
 - Learn about plants you can eat
 - Assist in a spring volunteer project
 - Learn the basics of botany and horticulture
 - Plot their travels
 - Work towards becoming a Certified Junior Master Gardener
 - Be part of a National network of youth environmental volunteers
 - Discover an inner green thumb

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