



2017-2018 Cornell Garden-Based Learning Leadership Certificate & Mini-Grant: Expectations

We value your time – and ours! As such, we expect your commitment to the leadership experience. Below we have outlined what will be required to obtain the mini-grant at the end of the leadership experience.

- Attend each of the five monthly meetings. Be present, participate and actively listen.
- Create a Moodle account and regularly check our Moodle page for postings and updates. This is where we will post all “between month” assignments.
 - Participate in the participant forum at least once each month.
 - Fulfill the required between month assignments such as readings, reflective questions and group work.
- Complete the evaluative piece at the end of each meeting. These help us in future planning and also serve as a model, providing you with an evaluative template for you to use with your audiences.
- Participate in the Project Showcase in February.
- Complete the Impact Statement worksheet at the end of the program. This helps us in reporting and will allow us to continue offering similar program opportunities.
- Share 1-5 high-quality photos that capture the excellence of your garden-based learning project. We’d like photos by the end of the program.
- Create a large poster that summarizes your team’s garden-based learning project. Guidelines and a template will be provided for the poster.
- Demonstrate keen attention and full presence throughout the experience – shutting off your cell phones and listening actively when your colleagues are speaking, following through on all activities, and modeling leadership behaviors as the experience unfolds. People often talk about being “too busy.” This will be an intentional experience with a high value on doing less, better.