

University of California Agriculture and Natural Resources | Master Gardener Program

## The University of California Cooperative Extension Mariposa County Master Gardeners Program

is taking applications for the 2014 Master Gardeners Volunteer Training Course to be held in **Merced** 

Applications are available at the UCCE Mariposa office, at the Ag. Building at **5009 Fairgrounds Road, Mariposa.** Or online:

http://cemariposa.ucanr.edu/Master\_Gardener/

For more information contact the Master Gardener's Office at: (209) 966-2417

Classes will be held at the UCCE Merced Office, located at: 2145 Wardrobe Avenue, Merced

When:WednesdaysstartingJanuary 8, 2014 through April 23, 2014Time: 9:00 am—1:00 pm

## **Deadline to receive applications is October 31, 2013**

The University of California Cooperative Extension of Mariposa County is offering the opportunity to receive instruction through the University's Master Gardeners Volunteer Program in Merced. Instructors for this 16-week course are University of California Cooperative extension Farm Advisors, horticultural specialists and community experts. The curriculum provides a practical course in plant science and horticulture. Classes will include topics on an introduction to horticulture; soil and plant nutrition; water and fertilizer management; pest identification and control; management of home orchards and landscape trees; home vegetable gardening; plant diseases and diagnosis; composting; weed identification and management, and much more. Class cost is \$200 to cover supplies, books and instruction.

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