



School Gardens Program

Community Schools Community of
Practice

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Areas of Focus

- Increase the number of students that are engaged in school garden programs
- Increase the number of classroom teachers that utilize garden-based curriculum
- Increase the number of schools with garden programs
- Provide high-quality data and analysis to school garden programs



School Gardens Program



Fund

- School Garden Grant
- Best School Garden Award



Train

- District-wide and school-based Trainings
- Project based trainings
- Community Awareness



Track

- Healthy School Act Report
- School Garden Assessments and Snapshot data



Support

- Guides
- Resources
- Onsite Technical Assistance

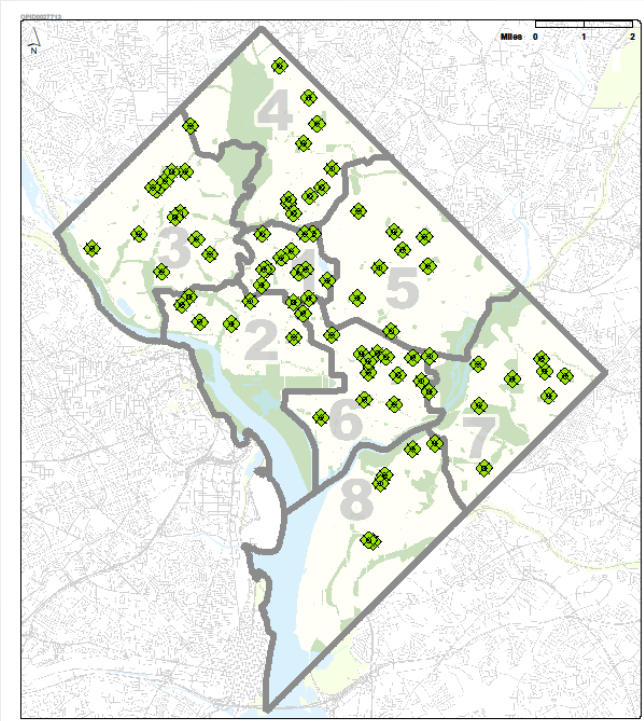



Partner

- Connect community based organizations with school-based staff
- District with states/ regions & District agencies with District agencies





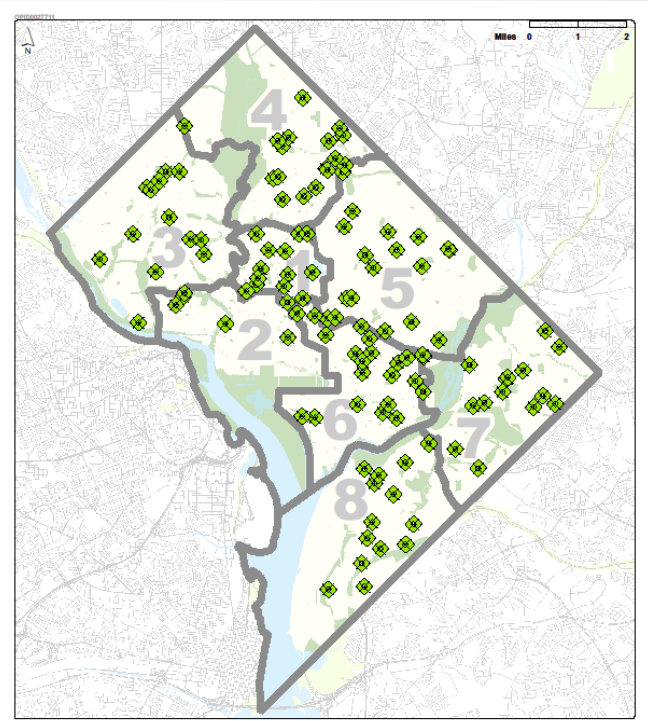
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Active School Gardens, SY2011-12

 2012 Wards
 Active School Gardens



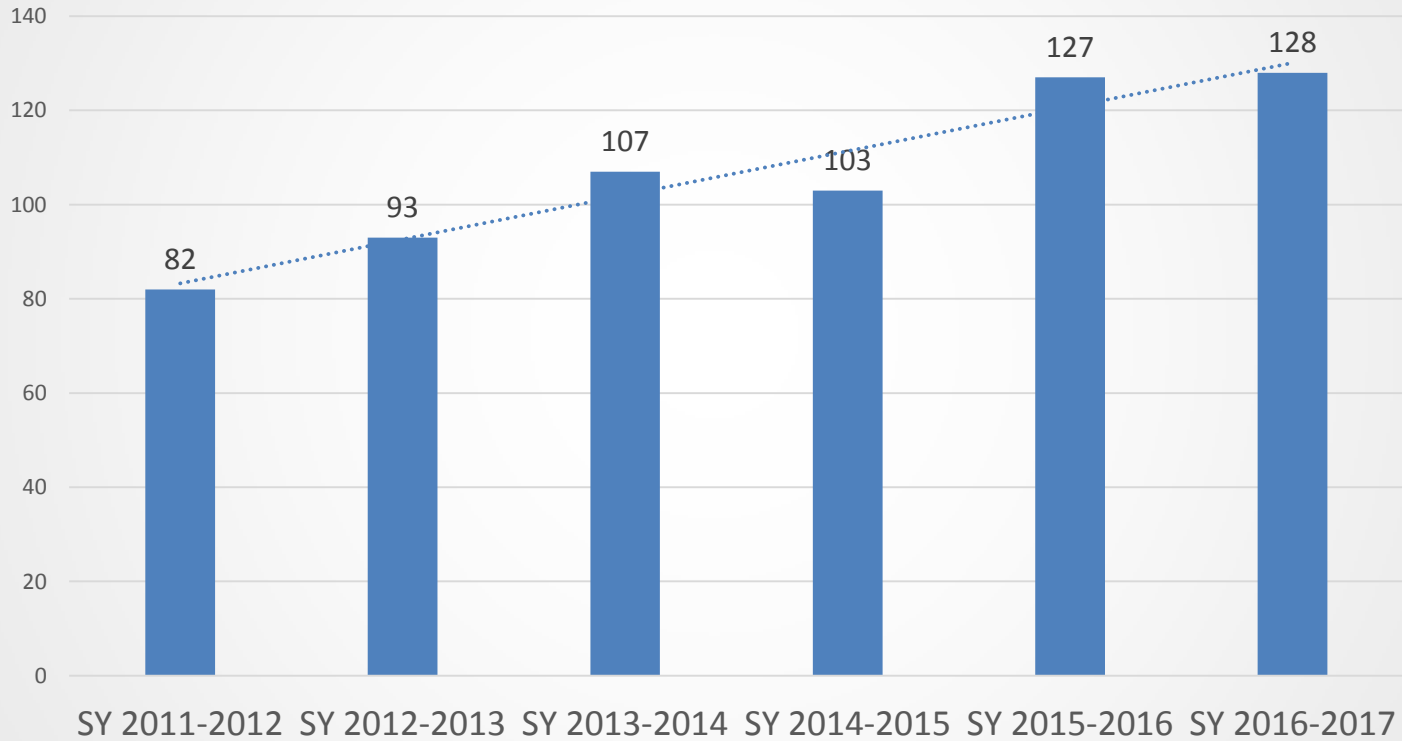
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Active School Gardens, SY2015-16

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Number of School Campuses with Gardens





Student & Teacher Engagement





Discussion

How can school garden programs support Community Schools?

What needs might school gardens fulfill in Community Schools?

What are some potential outcomes that school gardens can provide to Community Schools?

What resources are needed?



Thank you

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