

Woodland Elementary West Harvest Garden Timeline

Spring

Sign up team members and get organized	Feb.
Obtain donations – Ace, Walmart	Feb/Mar
Obtain planting supplies – seeds, peat pots “clamshell” takeout containers	March
Put together planting kits for classrooms And distribute	late March
Contact farm bureau & develop field trips	March - April
Plant seeds	April wk 1-2
Issue request for 2 nd grade parent volunteers for planting day & 1 st mulching	April wk 4
Design garden layout	April wk 4
Communicate events to school PR dep’t	April - May
Till and compost garden plot**	May wk 1
Stake out planting areas	May wk 1
Issue request for parent volunteers From entire school for summer watering, weeding, and mulching	May wk 1
Field trips**	May wk 1-3
Mulch walking paths in garden (core team members)	May wk 1-2
Planting days for classrooms (2)**	May weeks 2-3
Hose & sprinkler setup, immediately After planting	May weeks 2-3
Produce watering instructions	May week 3
Release water/weed schedule To volunteers with instructions	May week 3-4

Summer

Weeding teams, mulching teams
And watering volunteers do their stuff June, July, August

Harvest vegetables weekly and deliver
To food bank at Warren Community Center July, August, Sept.

Clean up garden for back-to-school August

Type up a walking tour of garden for
3rd grade teachers and students August

Fall – back to school

Distribute walking tours to classes September

3rd grade classes tour & harvest
vegetables, make recipes** September

Vegetable harvesting continues for
Food bank September

** = photo opportunities