

## 2025 Cultiva Youth Leader Project

Growing Gardens is now hiring for paid summer positions at both our Longmont and Boulder locations. The Cultiva Youth Project is a program in which youth ages 14-18 operate an urban organic farm, growing produce for the Boulder or Longmont communities while developing leadership and job skills. Our Youth Leaders seed, tend, and harvest organic produce for members of our community. For more information about the program as well as pay scales, please visit our website.

## What will you be doing?

Each Cultiva Youth Leader will have a monthly shift selling vegetables at the farm stand. Throughout the summer and fall, Youth Leaders will learn to grow, harvest, and prepare vegetables, participate in seminars with guest speakers, manage the farm stand, and practice leadership skills as a team and with youth who join us for service learning events. The Longmont location will take place at our new farm at 1000 15th Ave, Longmont and the Farm Stand Shifts will take place at 950 Lashley St. Longmont, CO. The Boulder farm is located at 1630 Hawthorn Ave.

## **Program Structure and Requirements:**

- Start/End Date: June 2nd July 31st (9 weeks)
- Must be 14-18 years old.
- Longmont Location Hours: 8-11 hours/wk, Tuesday and Wednesday 8AM 12PM
  - Tend the garden, harvest and organize food donations for the community, learn about nutrition, and more. Fall schedule will be fewer hours working the farm stand.
- Boulder Location Hours: 12-15 hours/wk, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 8AM 12PM
  - Tend the garden, harvest and organize shares for our CSA, glean food at the Boulder Farmers Market for donation to local partners, and learn about nutrition, animal husbandry, and more. Fall schedule will be fewer hours working the CSA.
- \$15.80/hr + sick time is accrued with this position

Application Deadline: April 23rd, 2025

Links to all our applications can be found below:

Boulder English Application
Boulder Spanish Application

**Longmont English Application Longmont Spanish Application** 

## Growing Gardens is also hosting Teen Spring Volunteer Days at each of our locations.

- In Boulder, this will happen on April 21st from 9:00-12:00 pm. Teens can register here.
- In Longmont, this will happen on April 28th from 9:00-12:00 pm. Teens can register here.

2025 Boulder Schedule Overview

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2025 Longmont Schedule Overview

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