

## Master Gardener Class Schedule 2018 (subject to change)

<u>Class</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>CA Master Gardener Handbook</u>
1	1/17/18	Introduction, Master Gardener Program Soil, Fertilizers, Mulch	Chapter 3
2	1/24/18	Botany for Gardeners Extending the Season	Chapter 2
3	1/31/18	Plant Pathology/Diseases	Chapter 6
4	2/7/18	Home Orchard & Berries	Chapters 15 & 16
5 (Sat)	2/10/18	Fruit Tree Training & Pruning (Hands-on at Young Ranch)	
6	2/21/18	Irrigation Design, greywater & water conservation Rose Pruning	Chapter 4
7	2/28/18	Weed Management Integrated Pest Management	Chapter 8
8	3/7/18	Introduction to Entomology	Chapter 7
9 (Sat)	3/10/18	Plant Propagation at Young Ranch	Chapter 5
10	3/21/18	Landscape Design & Trees Drought tolerant & fire resistant landscapes	Chapter 12 Chapter 19
11	3/28/18	Composting Vermiculture	Chapter 3
	4/2 – 4/6/18	Spring Break	
12	4/11/18	Understanding Pesticides	Chapter 9
13	4/18/18	Home Vegetable Gardening Food Safety in the Garden, Garden Journals	Chapter 13
(Sat)	4/21/18	Plant & Seed Exchange at Young Family Ranch (optional)	
14	4/25/18	Home Vineyard	Chapter 14
15	5/2/18	Turfgrass Management <i>take home Final Exam given</i> Cover Crops, Gardening with Pets	Chapter 11
16	5/9/18	Vertebrate Pest Control <i>Final Exam due</i> House Plants & Herbs	Publication 21385 Chapter 10
17	5/16/18	Pollinator Gardening <i>Final Returned, Graduation</i> Permaculture Gardening & Food Forests	