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4-H Youth Development



The 4-H Youth Development Program is a non profit youth educational program that promotes hands-on learning for youth ages 5-19, from all ethnic, racial, and socio-economic backgrounds who live in rural, suburban, and urban communities. Age appropriate projects that contribute to personal growth and development are the heart of 4-H. Each project focuses on a topic - anything from art to zoology - including: animal sciences, baking, computers, entomology, leadership, photography, quilting, rocketry, and more! These opportunities are designed to be fun while teaching real life skills. Projects are lead by older youth and/or adult volunteers.

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Master Food Preservers



The University of California Master Food Preserver Program extends UC research-based information about home food safety and preservation to the public via University-trained volunteers. UCCE Master Food Preserver volunteers work through UC Cooperative Extension to educate the community through public workshops on the safe practices of food preservation including pickling, sausages, preserves, olives, and much more, including pressure canner testing.

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Master Gardeners



The University of California Master Gardener Program extends UC research based information about home horticulture and pest management to the public via University-trained volunteers. Master Gardener volunteers are available to answer any home horticulture questions such as what to plant or why your plant is distressed. They also host public education classes on a variety of topics including composting and irrigation management.

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Nutrition

UC CalFresh Nutrition Education Program

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA The University of California CalFresh Nutrition Education Program operates through a joint agreement among cal **fresh** Nutrition Education the U.S. Department of Agriculture/Food and Nutrition Service (USDA/FNS), the California Department of Social Services CalFresh Program, and the University of California Cooperative Extension. UC CalFresh consists of Adult, Family-Centered and Youth program components, and operates throughout various California counties. The general goal of UC CalFresh is to improve the diet and nutrition-related skills of CalFresh recipients and their families by targeting schools and community programs with large numbers of children from CalFresh households. Teachers, youth program leaders, and other extenders at the sites are trained to deliver a nutrition education program targeted to youth audiences.

UC Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) *Vanessa Kenyon, vkkenyon@ucanr.edu, 916-875-6421*



The Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) is a federally-funded program through the United States Department of Agriculture National Institute of Food and Agriculture (USDA NIFA) that offers nutrition education to limited-resource families and children in all 50 states and U.S. territories.