



Garden Closing Checklist

- Pull out all plant debris from the garden (dead garden plants, tomatoes and peppers on the ground, etc.)
- Pull out all weeds
- Compost dead plants and weeds
 - Do not compost tomato plants to prevent soil-borne diseases spreading in your garden
 - Do not compost any weeds that have formed seed-heads
- Remove stakes, cages, and any other supports from the garden
- Lay tomato cages on empty bed
- Use a garden fork or hand cultivators to turn the soil throughout the bed (garden soil is compacted during the gardening season by the hot sun and by watering)
- Store hoses, hose carts, watering wands and any other garden tools inside for the winter
- Check in with SYG staff if you would like help cleaning out the garden

Garden Planting Record

At the end of each garden season you should review what was planted in your garden and evaluate the success of the different crops. Use the boxes below to record what you planted this season.

- Note how well each plant grew
- Include information on how produce was used and if students enjoyed eating it
- Highlight any areas where you have questions or need help from KCCG
- Keep this chart with your garden notes and reference it for future plantings

Raised Bed # _____

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