

SOILstart

At a glance...



Assessed Customised Provision

Recognised by: Lantra Awards

Prerequisites: An interest in growing food in an organic way.

Introduction

This course is an introduction to creating healthy and regenerative soils for food growing systems - for example, market gardens.

Overview in brief

This Lantra-accredited Customised Award is exclusively developed and delivered by a Lantra-approved Training Provider, who meets our quality standards. The course is specifically tailored to meet learners' needs. For further details about the course content and delivery locations, please contact the Training Provider using the details provided below.

The minimum age to undertake this course is 16.

For further information about this course, visit our website here - [Grow - EDGE Landscaping](https://www.grow-edge.co.uk/lantra-soilstart).

The finer details

The course sessions include:

- Soil
- Nutrients & Fungi
- Soil Life
- Polycultures
- Pests
- Mulches
- Agroforestry Principles
- Perennials
- Composting
- Fertility Planting



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Who should attend?

Growers, Gardeners, Farmers, Allotmenters, Researchers, Teachers, Mental Health Practitioners.

What will be covered?

By the end of the course, you will be able to:

1. Describe the constituent parts of soil
2. List the main nutrients soil needs & how these can be provided without chemicals
3. Design a pest management system
4. Describe one compost system in detail
5. Describe polycultures and list the benefits of
6. List 3 ways to build soil quality & quantity as part of a regenerative system

