



The Growery, Ireland



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About us

The Growery is a community food commons and local climate resilience hub. We demonstrate organic technologies (biochar, biodigestion, hugelkultur, solar energy, organic agroecological horticulture etc) and host workshops, community groups, and network events in this context. We run education and training courses related to food, health, and climate change.

Our partnership with the Irish Heritage School involves service learning placements with faculty cohorts of up to 20 university students at a time. Participants assist in the upkeep of community gardens partnered with, or initiated by the Growery.

General garden care will be a staple of this course, sowing, planting, propagation, watering, and liaising with visitors to the Growery on a daily basis. We will engage the trainee in local development trust activities with Birr 2020, demonstrating the initial stages of CLLD preparation for LAG formation and subsequent project design.

What we expect from trainee

Assistance in the running, documentation and reporting (as per LEADER) of training courses will be required, taking pictures during the events, and assistance with social media posting.

Preferred languages

EN, FR, DE