# Oregon’s Farm to School and School Garden Resource People

| Topic (not in any particular order) | Who to contact (see next pages for contact info) |
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| Getting started with or expanding local purchasing  | Melina Barker |
| Finding farmers, Farmers selling to schools  | Amy Gilroy |
| Food safety for school gardens | Rick Sherman |
| Food safety for farms  | Amy Gilroy  |
| School gardens & chickens/pollinators | Rick Sherman |
| Regional Education and Procurement Hubs | Melina Barker |
| Farm based education, farm field trips  | Melina Barker |
| Starting and maintaining school gardens | Amoreena Guerrero, Mindy Bell,Betsy Lattig, Rick Sherman |
| School garden curriculum | Amoreena Guerrero, Betsy Lattig, Mindy Bell |
| Garden-based after school programs | Amoreena Guerrero, Betsy Lattig, Mindy Bell |
| Afterschool Garden Clubs | Matt Laughter |
| Oregon’s [Farm to School and School Garden Grants](http://www.bit.ly/orf2s) | Rick Sherman, Amy Lahrman, Emily Griffith |
| Oregon [Harvest for Schools](http://www.bit.ly/orh4s)  | Rick Sherman, Amy Lahrman, Emily Griffith |
| Farm to Summer | Rick Sherman, Amy Lahrman, Emily Griffith |
| ODE’s [Fresh Fruit & Veggie Program](http://www.bit.ly/orffvp) | Rick Sherman, Amy Lahrman, Emily Griffith |
| Farm to early care and education  | Angela Hedstrom |
| Higher Ed. And Extension | Michelle Markesteyn |
| Geographic preference rules  | Rick Sherman |
| Advocating for state policies  | Melina Barker |
| Research and evaluation | Michelle Markesteyn |
| Media, communications & marketing | Michelle Markesteyn  |
| Oregon Farm to School Producer AwardsOregon [Farm to School Infrastructure Grant](https://www.oregon.gov/ODA/programs/MarketAccess/Pages/FarmtoSchool.aspx) | Amy Gilroy |
| [FoodCorps](https://foodcorps.org/) | Aaron Poplack |
| Oregon Farm to School and School Garden Network | Melina Barker |
| National Farm to School Network | Rick Sherman |
| Farm to School with Oregon Dairy[Fuel Up](https://nam02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fuelup.org%2Fresources%2Flearning-plan&data=05%7C01%7Crick.sherman%40ode.oregon.gov%7C3ae78ba3149f43e56ab608dbbfb64a09%7Cb4f51418b26949a2935afa54bf584fc8%7C0%7C0%7C638314561898653679%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=iXZGeIQrgiRtxOi2xX20MEkpU9QRFdi6YTWg%2FCTeQVg%3D&reserved=0) resources [Learning plans](https://nam02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fuelup.org%2Fresources%2Flearning-plan&data=05%7C01%7Crick.sherman%40ode.oregon.gov%7C3ae78ba3149f43e56ab608dbbfb64a09%7Cb4f51418b26949a2935afa54bf584fc8%7C0%7C0%7C638314561898653679%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=iXZGeIQrgiRtxOi2xX20MEkpU9QRFdi6YTWg%2FCTeQVg%3D&reserved=0) that align with NGSS. | Crista Hawkins |
| Oregon Agriculture in the Classroom | Jade Davidson  |
| Future Farmers of America  | Reynold Gardner |
| 4H | Kelly Noack |
| Adopt-a-Farmer | Mallory Phelan  |
| USDA Farm to School Program | Kari Kramer |
| OSU Master Food Preservers,  | Jared Hibbard-Swanson |
| Grow This, Seed to Supper, OSU Master Gardeners | Tyler Spofford |
| [Food Hero](https://www.foodhero.org/): Recipes/ingredients for home and school | Lauren Tobey |
| [Farm to School Podcast](https://www.buzzsprout.com/2201490) | Rick Sherman, Michelle Markesteyn |
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