

UConn Master Composter Program 2024



Middlesex County Extension Center,
Haddam, CT & online

WHAT IS THE MASTER COMPOSTER PROGRAM?

Between 10 and 25 % of a typical household's waste can be recycled right in our own backyards. This significantly reduces the amount of waste that is incinerated or trucked to state and municipal landfills. The **University of Connecticut Home & Garden Education Center & Soil Nutrient Analysis Laboratory**, in partnership with the **UConn Master Gardener Program** is offering the **Master Composter Program** to educate and train state residents about the composting process and to assist participants in passing this knowledge on to others.

WHO CAN BECOME A MASTER COMPOSTER?

Anyone, whether they compost now or not, who wants to learn more about composting and is willing to share their composting skills and knowledge with the public through volunteer activities such as presentations, workshops, exhibits and demonstrations. Those enrolled in the program will receive a UConn Master Composter Certificate & Badge upon completion of the course and outreach activities.

NEXT CLASS TO BE HELD IN September, 2024 in Haddam

The 2024 hybrid UConn Master Composter Program will consist of two evening classes and 2 Saturday day programs plus 2 potential field trips. The program fee is \$125 per student. Students must attend all class sessions and perform a minimum of 20 hours of outreach activities to become certified as a Master Composter.

Information posted on: www.homegarden.cahn.uconn.edu

To register: <https://homegarden.cahn.uconn.edu/master-composter/become-master-composter/>

Class size limited to 24 participants.

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