

Dunkerton Community Gardens Rules and Guidelines:

- Open to the Dunkerton community / Dunkerton school district.
- Gardeners are responsible for their own plots, including providing their own seeds, plants, and any tools.
- Children under 14 must be supervised at all times.
- If plots are marked, do not remove the markers.
- Weeding and cleaning must be done on a regular basis and are the plot owner's responsibility. Based upon the discretion of the committee, you could lose your plot if this is not done.
- Gardeners are responsible for hauling disposing of their own trash, such as weeds, boxes, trays, bags, and similar items.
- Herbicides, pesticides, and rodenticides are not allowed. Use of compost, organic mulch, and weeding is acceptable.
- Pets must be on a leash in the garden area.
- Gardeners are not allowed in other plots without permission of the other Gardener.
- No power equipment allowed.
- No pouring of concrete or destroying the plot.
- Gardeners must comply with all applicable local, state, and federal laws and ordinances.
- Funds are non-refundable in the event of a natural disaster.
- Temporary fences are allowed within your plot lines but need to be removed after the season.
- Each Gardener is responsible for watering their own plot. Gardeners will not overwater their plants or leave a hose unattended. [The cost of water is included in the cost of plot rental, so any excessive water usage may cause the cost of plot rental to increase the following year.]
- The Community Garden is for personal, noncommercial use only; Gardeners may not sell any produce or flowers grown in the Garden.