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South Seattle Community College Landscape Horticulture Program Offers Summer Class on Northwest Native Plants

Do you want to learn more about plants native to Washington state and how to integrate them into your garden? South Seattle Community College's (SSCC) Landscape Horticulture program is offering a course that will help.

Native Plants for Northwest Landscapes is a ten-day class offered Monday through Friday from July 30 to August 9. The class stresses responsible use of native plants in landscaping and covers topics including plant identification and culture, native plants in urban landscapes, native plant re-vegetation and plant ecology.

The course will be taught by Van Bobbitt, Landscape Horticulture Instructor and Arboretum Coordinator, and is sure to be of interest to students of landscape horticulture, gardeners, conservationists and environmentalists.

The class will take advantage of the college Arboretum, a living laboratory, and also include a full day field trip to Mount Rainier.

Enrollment is open to everyone. To register call (206) 764-7938 and mention the course abbreviation, LHO 119, and the item number, 4712.

What: Landscape Horticulture Summer Quarter
Native Plants for Northwest Landscapes

When: The class runs daily 9:00 – 1:30, July 30 – August 9

Where: South Seattle Community College
6000 16th Avenue SW, Seattle, WA 98106-1499.

Cost: \$163.44 for Washington state residents

For more information contact Van Bobbitt, Landscape Horticulture Instructor and Arboretum Coordinator, or Jayne Wissel, Arboretum Technician, at (206) 628-6717
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