

2017 Garden Club Federation of Massachusetts Educational Courses

<i>Course title</i>	<i>Brief Description</i>	<i>Number Sessions</i>	<i>Dates</i>	<i>Cost</i>	<i>Registration Deadline</i>	<i>Where Held</i>	<i>Exam required?</i>
NGC Schools							
Flower Show School	Prepares attendees to design for & judge flower shows	4 to complete Course; each 2 days + exam	One or two per year TBA	\$135 w/ no exam special club 2 for 1 rate	TBA	TBA	Yes, to become a Judge
Landscape Design School	covers different aspects of landscape and garden design	4 to complete Course; each 2 days + exam	Oct 28-30, 2017	\$125	TBA	Elm Bank Wellesley	Yes, join Landscape Council
Environmental School	covers different aspects of environmental education	4 to complete Course; each 2 days including exam	Sept 23-24, 2017	\$115	TBA	UTEC Lowell	Yes, to join Environmental Council
Garden Study School	covers a different fields of horticulture	4 to complete Course; each 2 days including exam	April 6&7, 2017	\$110 \$140 for non GCFM	Mar 16, 2017	TBA	Yes, to join Garden Study Council
GCFM Workshops							
Back to Basics	2 hour class on floral design illustrating one principle or element of floral design	3 times per year	TBA	\$45 for three sessions	TBA	Espousal Center Waltham	No
Civic Development Workshop	4 hour class and workshop with landscape professionals geared to civic development situations	1 per year Usually late March	March 30, 2017	\$15 GCFM \$25 others	Mar 15, 2017	Espousal Center Waltham	No
Environmental Workshop		1 per year	TBA	\$20 GCFM \$30 others	TBA	TBA	No
Horticulture Mornings	90-120 min program (including Q&A) with an expert on a single horticultural topic	3 per year	TBA	\$5 GCFM \$10 others	none required	TBA Moves about state	No
Design Mornings	Hands-on, 3-hour program led by a top floral instructor You take home a finished design	3 per year	TBA	\$145 for three sessions	TBA	Elm Bank Wellesley	No

Please note a new administration begins in June 2017 and there may be changes made to these offerings except in the dates and locations of the schools.