



Dear Principal/Teacher,

Project Grow is making its second "open call" to all schools in the Cayman Islands and is accepting applications for the September 2013 school year. For Principals/Teachers who are interested in becoming a part of the program qualifications are simple:

- (1.) The school must have an open area in which a grow box can fit or a patch of land that can be used.
- (2.) Dedicated faculty and students to develop and maintain the garden throughout the school year.

Schools will be chosen based on their willingness and ability to support the program for the long-term.

An application form is attached. Please take the time to read the application and consider whether your school would be a good candidate to participate in this program.

Deadline for applications is May 31, 2013. Completed application forms should be sent to caymanprojectgrow@gmail.com.

Project Grow will help children learn the principles of gardening. The hands-on experience helps familiarize children with the many relationships and cycles within nature providing a link to healthy eating and nutritional choices. The gardening experience itself brings other health benefits like exercise, time spent outdoors in the fresh air and a sense of well being. It also offers new and exciting ways to address nutrition.

Should your school be chosen to participate in the program you will receive grow boxes, soil, plants, seeds and other needed equipment along with a tailored approach to a sustainable garden plan for the year.

With the dedication of your teachers and students together we can work toward a healthier future for our children.

We look forward to receiving your application.

Sincerely,
The Project Grow Team

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SCHOOL APPLICATION

Do you want Project Grow in your school? Please fill out this application and submit to:
caymanprojectgrow@gmail.com BY MAY 31ST, 2013
Winning Schools will be notified in June.

SCHOOL NAME: _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS: _____

SCHOOL PHONE NUMBER: _____

CONTACT NAME AND PHONE NUMBER OF TEACHER/PRINCIPAL COORDINATOR FOR THE PROJECT:

(This person will be responsible for the development and ongoing maintenance of the school garden providing quarterly updates to Generali.)

DO YOU HAVE AN AREA AT THE SCHOOL THAT CAN BE USED FOR THE GARDEN OR GROW BOX? _____

IF SO, APPROXIMATELY HOW BIG IS THE AREA? _____

WHY WOULD YOU LIKE PROJECT GROW AT YOUR SCHOOL? _____

OUTLINE YOUR PLAN TO IMPLEMENT/INCORPORATE PROJECT GROW IN YOUR SCHOOL. _____

CAN THE SCHOOL DEDICATE AT LEAST 2 HOURS EACH WEEK TO PROJECT GROW FOR WATERING/WEEEDING/GENERAL MAINTENANCE?

I understand that by signing this application form I am putting _____ school forward for consideration for Project Grow. I understand that through this nomination we are committing to the development and ongoing maintenance of a school garden, dedicating at least 2 hours each week to watering and weeding.

Signature of Teacher/Principal of School: _____

Print Name: _____

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