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**ATTEND FREE WATER WISE WORKSHOPS AND EVENTS INCLUDING A NEW  
GARDENING CLASS DESIGNED FOR KIDS AND THEIR FAMILIES**

JURUPA VALLEY, CA (April 18, 2016) – Do you want a water wise and colorful garden? [Jurupa Community Services District](#) (JCSD) has two new classes and upcoming events for those who want a full-color garden that is also mindful of [California's emergency drought](#) status. Both classes are free but require reservations.

**Grow Together: Family Gardening Workshop**

Saturday, May 7, 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Eastvale Community Center, 13820 Schleisman Road, Eastvale

Parents and children (or grandparents and their grandchildren) will enjoy their time together as they explore the fascinating world of gardening. Kids will learn about the importance of water and insects in our gardens along with picking the best plants and materials for creating a water friendly garden. The workshop will include hands-on gardening, a water conservation craft project, and a ladybug release. Each participant will take home their gardening project to plant in their yard.

**In Full-Color Gardening Workshop**

Saturday, May 14, 9 a.m. - noon

Jurupa Community Services District, 11201 Harrel Street, Jurupa Valley

A water-friendly landscape doesn't mean you can only use rocks and cactus. There are plenty of colorful plants you can add to your garden that are also water wise. JCSD's Water Conservation Coordinator will introduce you to a rainbow of landscaping materials, design ideas, and water-wise gardening tips.

### Water-Friendly Plant Sales

Saturday, June 11, 8 a.m. – noon (stop by anytime)

Eastvale Home Depot, 6140 Hamner Avenue, Eastvale

JCSD's Water Conservation Coordinator and other water-use efficiency experts will be at the Eastvale Home Depot for the annual Water Saving Garden Friendly plant sale to help you select the right plants for your garden. If you completed one of the classes, this is a great opportunity to have experts help you select the best plants for your garden.

### Water Wise Landscape Contest

As a member agency of Western Municipal Water District, JCSD's customers are eligible to enter the bi-annual Water Wise Landscape Contest. A number of gardens in the JCSD service area have beautifully transformed into drought-tolerant designs. Your masterpiece may be the one that gets selected from the entries to receive honors and prizes! You could win up to \$1,000 in cash prizes and earn a garden plaque to highlight your garden's award-winning status. Visit the [contest website](http://www.inlandempirelandscapecontest.com/) at <http://www.inlandempirelandscapecontest.com/> for details.

To reserve your spot for the *Grow Together: Family Gardening Workshop* or the *In Full-Color Gardening Workshop*, please register online at [www.jcsd.us/workshop](http://www.jcsd.us/workshop), send an e-mail to [savewater@jcsd.us](mailto:savewater@jcsd.us) or call the Conservation Hotline at (951) 727-3521.

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### About JCSD

*Founded in 1956, the Jurupa Community Services District is a public agency known as a Special District, governed by a five-member, elected, Board of Directors. JCSD serves over 118,700 people in a 41-square-mile region of western Riverside County in the newly-incorporated cities of Jurupa Valley and Eastvale by providing a variety of critical services such as water, sewer, street lights, frontage landscape maintenance, and graffiti abatement. JCSD is also responsible for parks maintenance and recreation programming within the JCSD parks territory. For more information, visit our website at [www.jcsd.us](http://www.jcsd.us).*

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