



“Green Industry” Horticulture Training for members of the
Texas Nursery & Landscape Association
 or related affiliated business.

This is a Certification Preparation & Horticulture Course
 Presented by Texas AgriLife Extension Service of the Texas A&M System
 Application Deadline: **August 21, 2009**

Eight classes will be conducted on the first and third Friday of each month from 1 – 5 pm
 at 3355 Cherry Ridge, Suite 208 (Conroy Square, East Court)
 Beginning September 4, 2009 – Ending December 18, 2009

(Class size is limited to 35 participants and only 5 participants per company)

Who Should Attend? Any employee, manager, or owner of a retail nursery/garden center, wholesale plant grower, landscape contractor, irrigator, pesticide applicator or any related affiliated business of the “Green Industry.” Presentations will focus on the TNLA certification manual & emphasizes on Central/South Texas gardening & landscaping. (CEUs will be awarded on certain topics.) The Texas Certified Nursery Professional Manual will not be provided, but is recommended for the training, as well as a resource guide. To order, contact the TNLA office in Austin at (512) 280-5182.

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete application legibly. **A fee of \$120 is payable in full with application.** (The fee is used for training materials and speaker’s travel expenses.) If space is available, individual classes may be taken for \$25.⁰⁰ each day. Make check/money order payable to **Horticulture Account: 218310-6003.**

Last Name _____ First _____ MI _____

Street _____

City _____ County _____ Zip Code _____

Daytime Phone (____) _____ Night time phone (____) _____

Fax No (____) _____ E-mail _____

Place of Employment _____

Address _____ City _____ County _____

Zip Code _____ Fax No (____) _____ E-mail _____

Supervisor’s Name _____ Telephone No. _____

Are you taking this class for: ___ Certification ___ Refresher

MAIL THE COMPLETED FORM WITH PAYMENT BY AUGUST 21, 2009

TO: TNLA CERTIFICATION
 Attn: Angel Torres
 3355 Cherry Ridge Drive, Suite 212
 San Antonio, TX 78230-4818

For questions call Texas AgriLife Extension Service office at (210) 467-6575 and ask for Angel Torres.

We will seek to provide reasonable accommodations for all persons with disabilities for our events. We request that you contact our office at least two weeks in advance to advise us of the auxiliary aid or service that you require.

Date	Time	Topics	Speaker
Sep 4, 2009 Fri	12:30 – 1 pm 1:00 – 1:30 pm	Registration Introduction to Texas AgriLife Extension Service	Angel Torres & Judy Hanna David Rodriguez & TNLA Board Members James Salazar and Mark Buell
	1:30 – 5:00 pm	Chap 20 – The Home Vegetable Garden	Dr Jerry Parsons
Sep 18, 2009 Fri *	10:00 – 12:00	Chap 10 – Weed Identification & Control for Central & South Texas	Dr. David Chalmers, Assoc professor & Extension Specialist, Soil & Crop Sciences, Texas A&M University * This class IS NOT an option for individual selection
	12:00 – 12:45	LUNCH PROVIDED	
	12:45 - 3:00 pm	Chap 16 – Turfgrass: Turfgrass Selection & Maintenance for Central & South Texas	
Oct 2, 2009 Fri	1:00 – 3:00 pm	Chap 9 – Disease Identification & Control	Dr. Mark C. Black, Professor & Ext Plant Pathologist Plant Pathology, Texas AgriLife Extension Service
	3:00 – 5:00 pm	Chap 8 – Pest Controls	Joe Hegar, GreenLight Chemical Company (1 CEU Laws & Regulations)
Oct 16, 2009 Fri	1:00 – 3:00 pm	Chap 19 – The Home Orchard	Dr. Larry A. Stein, Professor & Ext Horticulturalist Sciences, Texas AgriLife Extension Service
	3:00 – 5:00 pm	Chap 5 – Soils & Growing Media Mulch	Dr. Tom Harris, Bexar County Master Gardener
Nov 6, 2009 Fri	1:00 – 3:00 pm	Chap 7 – Plant Pests and Integrated Pest Management	Molly Keck, Entomologist, Texas AgriLife Extension Service (2 CEUs)
	3:00 – 5:00 pm	Chap 1 – Sales & Service Chap 2 – Display	Dr. Marco A. Palma, Asst Professor & Extension Economics, Texas A&M University
Nov 20, 2009 Fri	1:00 – 3:00 pm	How to Plant a Tree Tree Selection & Planting	Paul Johnson, Regional Urban Forester, Texas Forest Service
	3:00 – 5:00 pm	Tree Pruning and Maintenance	John Worrell, Master Arborist, Bartlett Tree Service
Dec 4, 2009 Fri	1:00 – 4:00 pm	Class will be held at Educational Room at the San Antonio Botanical Garden, 555 Funston Street. Chap 15 – Landscape Color Chap 18 – Landscape Design	Dr. Wm 'Bill' Welch, Professor/Ext Horticulturist, Horticultural Sciences, Texas A&M University
	4:00 – 5:00 pm	Chap 17 – Interior Plants	Romell Henze, Magic Gardens (owner)
Dec 18, 2009 Fri	1:00 – 3:00 pm	Chap 3 – How Plants Grow Chap 6 – Plant Nutrition	Kirk Williams, Agriculture/Landscape & Turfgrass Management, Palo Alto College
	3:00 – 4:00 pm	Chap 12 – Plant Propagation	Lou Kellogg, Bexar County Master Gardener
	4:00 – 5:00 pm	Chap 4 – Plant Nomenclature Plant Identification Resource Information	David Rodriguez