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## **Grow LA Victory Garden Classes Teach Skills to Start Your Own Garden** *Learn Gardening at Greystone Mansion & Gardens in Beverly Hills*



*Beverly Hills, Calif.* – The City of Beverly Hills in partnership with the University of California Cooperative Extension (UCCE) will offer “Grow LA Victory Garden” workshop beginning Sunday, April 8 from 12 noon to 3 p.m. at the demonstration garden at Greystone Mansion & Gardens: The Doheny Estate, 905 Loma Vista Drive, Beverly Hills, 90210. The workshop will run four Sundays through April 29 and is taught by Master Gardener George Pessin and other certified Master Gardeners from UCCE. For more information or to register, go online to [www.beverlyhills.org/bhrec](http://www.beverlyhills.org/bhrec) or call 310-285-6810.

Instruction will cover the following topics:

- Sunday, April 8: Planning, seed starting, raised beds, container gardening, plant selection.
- Sunday, April 15: Tools, soil structure, soil preparation, plant nutrition, organic fertilizers, transplanting, Irrigation, mulching.
- Sunday, April 22: Integrated pest management, organic pesticides, composting and worm composting.
- Sunday, April 29: Pollination, seed saving, fruit trees, harvesting, review and graduation.

The price is \$15 for each class (\$12 for Beverly Hills residents), or \$56 for the entire series (\$45 for Beverly Hills residents). Those who take all four classes will receive a certificate on completion.

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