

## Support Veggie U

Veggie U is a 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization promoting the well-being of children by teaching the sustainable growing of vegetables and healthy eating habits. We are dedicated to the creation and distribution of our Earth to Table™ curricula, which focuses on making wise food choices to combat childhood obesity and related health issues. The program also emphasizes the understanding of sustainable agriculture.

## Help Us Grow

Your support will enable us to take the message of nutrition and its benefits to children in classrooms across the country. The Veggie U kit costs \$400 per classroom. Each kit arrives complete with a five-week curriculum including segments on soils, sustainability, and nutrition. Also included is an introductory Farmer Jones DVD, seeds, soil, grow lights, root view boxes, worm farm materials and a box of unique vegetables from The Chef's Garden™ farm. Children love our program because it's a hands-on, engaging experience. They will remember what they learn for years to come! With your help, we can make the difference for the next generation.



**Veggie U is not possible  
without you.  
Thank you for your support!**

**Contact us at  
Veggie U  
12304 State Route 13  
Milan, OH 44846  
Phone: 419.499.7500  
Fax: 419.499.7510  
www.veggieu.org**

*Dedicated to changing children's eating habits one classroom at a time.*



## MEMBERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



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**www.veggieu.org**

# FOCUS ON THE FUTURE

## Our Mission

Veggie U promotes the well being of children through a healthy lifestyle. We are dedicated to the creation and distribution of curricula nationally, with the focus on making wise food choices, combating adolescent and juvenile disease and attaining an understanding of sustainable agriculture.

## Participation

Your tax-deductible donation will help pay the costs of assembling, packaging and placing the Veggie U, Earth to Table™ science program in fourth-grade classrooms nationwide.

This year our membership goal is to have 1,000 new supporters join us in providing the Veggie U kits at no cost to the schools. Think about the contribution you can make. Even with a gift as small as \$15 per month, you can provide a child with a unique learning opportunity.

Contact us to become part of our *Veggie U Monthly Giving Program*. Let us do the work! With your authorization, we'll automatically charge your credit card once a month. You'll be able to donate hands-free, carefree and not have to think about it again!

Please contact 419-499-7500 to get started today!



## Membership

Veggie U also offers annual memberships for those who wish to make a substantial gift. There are great benefits to becoming a Veggie U member!

### Planting

\$150

\* For \$200, you can extend this membership to other members of your household.

You will receive:

- One official Veggie U apron (for new members)
- Discounted tickets to the Food & Wine Celebration, our biggest fundraiser of the year.
- Invitation to the annual Member Harvest Day with the opportunity to go into The Chef's Garden™ fields and harvest your own sustainably-grown vegetables.
- Invitation to the annual Membership Holiday Celebration - a wonderful party with delicious food and live entertainment.

### Gardening

\$500

In addition to the benefits of a *Planting Membership*, you will also receive:

- The ability to purchase fresh, sustainably-grown vegetables from The Chef's Garden™ through e-commerce.

### Growing

\$1000

In addition to the benefits of a *Gardening Membership*, you will also receive:

- One complimentary box of fresh, seasonal vegetables from The Chef's Garden™, delivered directly to your door.

Yes! I would like to donate to VEGGIE U - Detach and mail to : Veggie U, 12304 St. Rt. 13, Milan, OH 44846

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Please accept my donation of:

\$15  \$25  \$50  \$75  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Membership:  NEW  RENEWAL

I want to donate through the **Veggie U Monthly Giving Program**.

Please charge my credit card \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per month until I tell you to stop

### METHOD OF PAYMENT

Please make check or money order payable to Veggie U  Credit Card - Circle One

VISA MASTERCARD AMERICAN EXPRESS

CARD #: \_\_\_\_\_ EXPIRATION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ SECURITY CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME ON CARD: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

"Veggie U is one of the best programs I've seen. The students loved it! I would definitely want to do it again." *Cathleen Gibbons, Teacher, Danbury, Ohio*