

Change in life after Urban Farming Course

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After completing her mainstream education Master's degree, she started preparing for her job-related exam. While that time one day she found an article on urban farming training on Karmashatra newspaper. And found it interesting as she always had a love and passion towards nature, and in her house, they already had a rooftop garden, so she wanted to expand it in an organic way.

As she found this is very interesting, and enrolled herself for this course, without telling her family. As her family want her to do some kind of government job in future. However, after completing this course, she had able to pursue her passion and started some gardening related work.

During the course, she had able to learn each and every process of build up a proper urban garden. Those are soil preparation,seed sowing,plant propagation,site analysis,crop planning, practical sessions on making of organic insecticide and organic manure, business plan and input mapping.

Presently she becomes an Urban Farming volunteer of the DRCSC, also started her eco Entrepreneurship planning. Currently her monthly income 5000 Rs by installing gardens in school and houses. Her dedication to work and willingness to learn helps her a lot in experimenting in a different kind of model creation for urban farming.

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During the training



Teaching the school students how to prepare the soil for the gardening.



Learning process - Hydroponic Model of Urban Farming.



Installing garden in school.