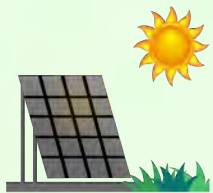


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# GET City Summer Camp



*What's being made?!*



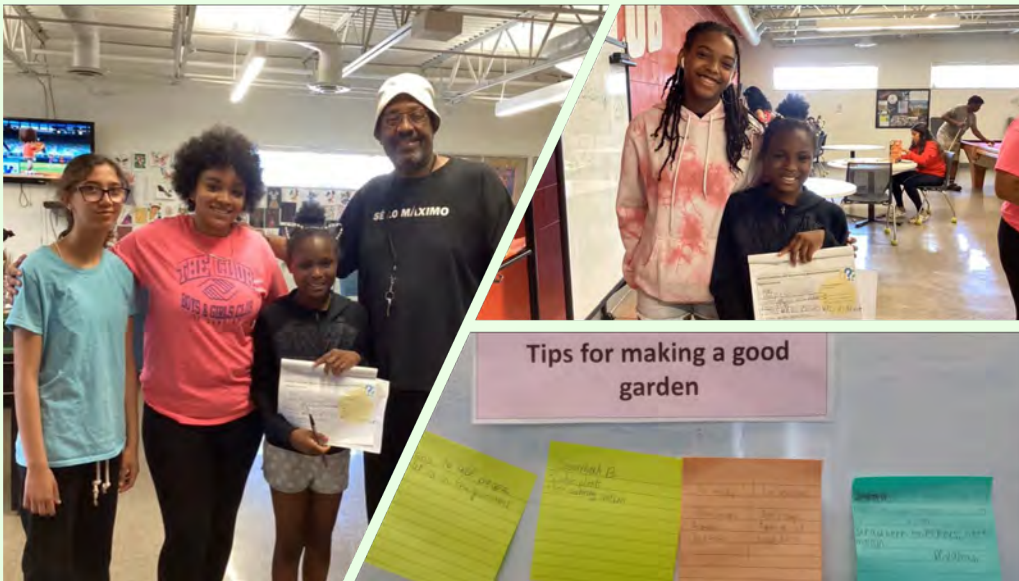
In this summer camp, Get City kids explored how to build a garden, learn about people's relationship with gardening, and engineered STEM artifacts to enrich and support our sustainable communities. The camp lasted for five days, and each day focused on a different research question related to gardening. These questions included: what does gardening mean to us? what role do plants play in our daily lives? what have we learned about gardening from our community? and how can we design a good garden?



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Get City kids brought our community views, experiences, stories and insights on gardening



## Gardening benefits

Physical Exercise

Stress Reduction

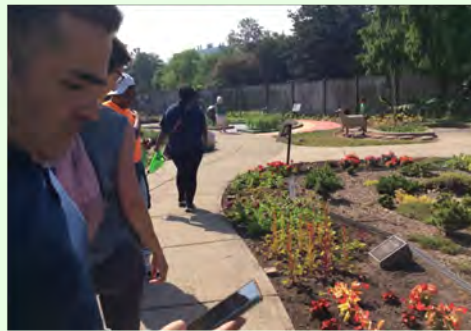
Community Building

Access to Fresh Produce



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Get City kids visited the 4-H Children's Gardens (MSU) to learn about plants, different insects that live in the garden, and their importance to the ecosystem. They explored and measured CO2 levels in different places throughout their trip, including near plants, and learned about the role of plants in absorbing carbon dioxide from the atmosphere.



*Through art seeds, kids explored and acknowledged different seeds, have fun, and unleash their creativity.*



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Get City kids creatively designed colorful artifacts from used plastic materials to attract insects and pollinators to the garden



Get city kids engineered bird and bee houses to increase diversity and make the garden a rich and safe environment. Building bird and bee houses involved many steps of the engineering process, such as designing a prototype and deciding what materials and tools to use. While engaging in these steps, kids developed their engineering expertise.

