

# HORTICULTURE CREW

The youth involved with the Horticulture Program learn a multitude of skills in the areas of landscape maintenance, stream and ecological restoration techniques, sustainable gardening and native plant propagation. The focus has always been on eco-friendly ways we can produce food locally and enhance and expand native habitats. Here is a small sample of projects the youth are with:

- Stream restoration for the City of Eugene.
- Greenhouse construction for our department's farm.
  - Native plant landscaping for the BLM.
- Maintenance and expansion of our department's native plant garden.
- Use and maintenance of our composting facilities.

Future projects will involve working with our local Botanical Gardens, the US Forest Service, and the landscape department at Lane Community College.



