Preparing the Wheat Garden

Our Garden Science Program is starting its second year, and we invite all interested 5th and 6th grade classes to participate in this unique, hands-on program! Students will learn many science concepts related to plants and gardens, and plant a wheat garden on our property during their visit. The students do all the work themselves, from planning the garden, to all the tasks involved with planting! Your class also has the option of starting a learning garden at your school, with our assistance. Please contact us for more information.

Science topics the program covers include:

- Weather and climate
- Plant growth, soils, and what plants need
- How to create a successful garden
- Wildlife habitats in gardens
- Water cycle and water conservation

Visits to the PDREC that are associated with the Garden Science program are available Monday—Friday, weather and staff schedules permitting.

North Vista Elementary wins 2014-2015 Garden Science award