

HOW TO GET STARTED WITH THE WILD SEED INITIATIVE

Pick up WSI seed packets at any PCEC event, farmers markets, native plant sale, or come by our office at the Lincoln School, Room 305. You can also sign up to host a seed spreading event! View our website for more information, www.pcecmt.or/wsi

PLANT YOUR WILD SEEDS & WATCH THEM GROW!

- (1) Prepare a planting site by removing weeds and loosening the soil.**
- (2) Plant seeds and begin "Part One: Seed Planting Location" of your observation of your site.**
- (3) Water the seeds regularly and keep them moist until they germinate.**
- (4) Monitor the success of your seedlings growth by starting "Part Two: Monitoring Report" of your observation.**

Part One: Seed Planting Location

(1) Click the Add Data Button to the right of THE WILD SEED INITIATIVE survey.

(2) Select a data sheet– Seed Planting Location– and click Add Observation.

(3) Enter in a Name for the planting site (ex. AllenSite1 or BoulevardChestnut1)-- Note this name to be used in Part Two of your observation.

(4) Latitude & Longitude will automatically populate if location services are turned on. If using the web browser you will need to hand enter the coordinates.

(5) Click Next to answer a few questions about your site condition.

(6) Once site conditions are documented– save survey.

(7) Create a calendar reminder to return to your plant to water and to monitor their growth. Return once your seedlings are identifiable, rosettes or flowering, to begin Part Two of your observation.

Part Two: Monitoring Report

(1) Click the Add Data button to the right of THE WILD SEED INITIATIVE survey.

(2) Select a data sheet– Monitoring Report– and click Add Observation

(3) Enter in a Name for the planting site (ex. AllenSite1 or BoulevardChestnut1) Note this is to be the same as Part One.

(4) Latitude & Longitude will automatically populate if location services are turned on. If using the web browser you will need to hand enter the coordinates.

(5) Click Next to answer a few questions about your seed planting success.

(6) Once seedling and growth conditions are documented– save survey.

(7) Navigate to the menu on the top left to locate the Observation to Upload tab.

(8) Select the Upload symbol to submit observations.