

# Eco Workshops 2025 – Kimbriki Eco House & Garden

Kimbriki's Eco House & Garden offers a range of face-to-face workshops. Learn successful organic gardening techniques and how to implement sustainable living ideas into your everyday life. Our workshop ecologist educators, have extensive experience in teaching and enabling adults and children to make their lives more sustainable.

			Workshop Location
<b>March</b>			
Composting and Worms* <sup>②</sup>	Saturday 1st	10am to 1pm	Kimbriki Eco House & Garden
Early Childhood Educators Professional Development Day <sup>④</sup>	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup>	9am to 3pm	Kimbriki Eco House & Garden
<b>April</b>			
Beginners Organic Veggie Gardening <sup>③</sup>	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup>	10am to 1pm	Kimbriki Eco House & Garden
Hügelkultur Bed Creation <sup>⑤</sup>	Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup>	10am to 2pm	The Beach School, Allambie
Composting With Kids <sup>⑥</sup>	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup>	10am to 12pm	Kimbriki Eco House & Garden
<b>May</b>			
Composting 101* <sup>①</sup>	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup>	10am to 12pm	Curly Community Garden
Waste & Sustainability in Schools - Teachers Professional Development Day <sup>④</sup>	Friday 30 <sup>th</sup>	9am to 3pm	Kimbriki Eco House & Garden
<b>June</b>			
Hardwood Pruning & Propagation <sup>③</sup>	Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup>	10am to 1pm	Kimbriki Eco House & Garden
Composting and Worms* <sup>②</sup>	Saturday 28 <sup>th</sup>	10am to 1pm	Kimbriki Eco House & Garden

<b>Pricing</b>	
① Worm Farming 101* <b>OR</b> Composting 101*	Residents = \$25 per person / Non-residents = \$40 per person.
② Composting & Worms*	Residents = \$35 per person / Non-residents = \$50 per person / Child = \$10 per child. Residents Family = <b>\$60</b> per family♦.
③ General Workshop (3 hours)	Residents = \$35 per person / Non-residents = \$50 per person.
④ Educators Professional Development Days	Educator based at school/centre located within Northern Beaches Council and Mosman Council areas = \$125 per person. Educator based at school/centre located out of the above Council areas = \$150 per person.
⑤ Specialty Workshop (4 hours)	Residents = \$40 per person / Non-residents = \$60 per person.
⑥ Composting with Kids	Residents Children = \$20 per child / Non-residents Children = \$25 per child.

Residents	Attendees residing within Northern Beaches Council and Mosman Council areas.
Non-residents	Attendees residing out of the above Council areas.
Child	Primary school age up to 18 years.
**Residents Family	Composting & Worms Workshop only. Families residing within the Northern Beaches Council and Mosman Council areas (♦ticket includes 2 adults & up to 3 children aged 5-18 years).

Occasionally we are unable to reach our minimum numbers for hosting a workshop and we will need to cancel. If this happens, we will make the decision approximately five business days prior to the workshop. When a workshop is cancelled, we can either move your booking to an alternative workshop date or offer a refund.

**Bookings are essential. Please secure a ticket online**

[www.kimbriki.com.au/eco-house-garden](http://www.kimbriki.com.au/eco-house-garden)

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**Workshop locations vary per date - Ticket can only be used at the workshop location for the date booked.**

- **Kimbriki Eco House & Garden**, within Kimbriki Resource Recovery Ctr. 1 Kimbriki Road, off Mona Vale Road, Ingleside 2101.  
**Access is by vehicle only** – as there is no pedestrian access to Kimbriki, please arrange to arrive by vehicle.  
Enter the Kimbriki site via weighbridge A or B. Follow directional signage to the Eco House & Garden car park.
- **The Beach School**, 10 Malinya Road, Allambie Heights 2100
- **Freshie Community Garden**, 117 Queenscliff Road, Queenscliff 2096
- **Curly Community Garden**, Corner of Abbott & Griffin Roads, North Curl Curl 2099

## Composting and Worms\*

- get food scraps out of landfill and make your own healthy soils
- everything you could possibly want to know about how to successfully run a compost bin and a worm farm
- problem solving
- different methods for different spaces

## Composting With Kids\*

- meet the famous compost worms that make soil out of our leftover food scraps
- be a macro invertebrate detective and discover our good garden bugs and compost critters
- make a clay habitat and garden creature to take home
- design your own Compost Recipe sign for your home kitchen

## Composting 101\*

- get food scraps out of landfill and make your own healthy soils
- everything you could possibly want to know about how to successfully run a compost system
- problem solving

## Worm Farming 101\*

- get food scraps out of landfill and make your own healthy soils
- everything you could possibly want to know about how to successfully run a worm farm
- problem solving

## Hügelkultur Bed Creation

- learn a permaculture technique to reuse garden material to create a raised garden bed
- enhance soil fertility, water retention, ambient soil temperatures
- ideal for areas where soil is poor quality or compacted

## Hardwood Pruning & Propagation

- learn pruning techniques for hardwoods
- understand the theory behind a variety of propagation techniques
- use this practical workshop to create more new plants in your garden or to share/swap with others

## Beginners Organic Vegie Gardening

- learn a simple method of starting a new vegie garden
- learn the difference between organic gardening and toxic chemical gardening
- learn about the connection between healthy gardens and healthy people
- experiential learning – we build a new garden together!

## Educators Professional Development Day

- one-day elective professional learning program that meets education standards and provides educators with the knowledge and practical skills to integrate waste and sustainability into their programs in a curriculum relevant way
- hands on activities; case studies from local schools and centres; curriculum supported education resources
- morning tea and light lunch provided
- lucky door prizes and goodie bag

\***Northern Beaches Residents attending the whole Composting & Worms workshop:** Northern Beaches Council would like to support its residents in recycling food waste at home by giving you a voucher towards buying a worm farm or compost bin. Northern Beaches Council will issue a \$90 voucher to Northern Beaches residents who attend a Kimbriki Composting and Worms workshop, and **who have not had a free worm farm, compost bin or voucher from Council in the past.** One voucher per household (not per person) is issued irrespective of number of workshops attended. The vouchers are issued directly from Council after you have attended the workshop. Please allow up to 3-4 weeks for the voucher to be issued and posted to your residential address. Voucher can be used at New Leaf Nursery in Ingleside or at the Kimbriki Eco House & Garden Eco shop.

## Visiting the Eco Garden

The Eco Garden is open when Kimbriki is open. You are welcome to visit the garden, but the garden may not be staffed.

Please leave the garden by 4.30pm as the Kimbriki site gates are locked at 5pm. Email: [kimbriki@kimbriki.com](mailto:kimbriki@kimbriki.com) or phone Mon-Fri 9486-3512.