

Backyard Composting - Correct Application

# YardWise

## A Course for Yard Care

The "YardWise" program is a FREE annual course available to all Harris County residents interested in learning more about environmentally responsible yard care. This two hour course is a shorter version of our annual full day YardWise class. Participants will experience a classroom session that features lectures, slides, and some field instruction.

### Some Yard Care topics that may be covered:

- Backyard Composting
- "Don't Bag It" Plan
- Integrated Pest Management
- Less Toxic Alternatives
- Mulching & Grasscycling
- Vermi-Composting
- WaterSmart
- Xeriscaping

**Date of event:** Wednesday, March 6th from 10 am - Noon

**Location:** Mangum-Howell Center

2500 Frick Rd., Houston TX 77038

If you are interested in participating in the YardWise Course, contact us by phone, email or visit <http://www.cleanwaterways.org/hhw/yardwise.asp>.

### Contacts:

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**Class size is limited.**

To contact us regarding the YardWise Course via mail please send your inquiry to the following address:

Attn: YardWise

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Grasscycling - Vermicomposting - WaterSmart - Xeriscaping

Yard Chemicals - "Don't Bag It" Plan - Integrated Pest Management

Less Toxic Alternatives - Mulching