



# CHICAGO BOTANIC GARDEN

## Guided Garden Tour Options

**Pre-registration is required for tours.**

Buehler Enabling Garden Tour: Limited to 25 participants

Participants will receive a detailed tour of the Chicago Botanic Garden's award winning Buehler Enabling Garden. Made up of more than 600 varieties of plants with unique sensory qualities, the Buehler Enabling Garden demonstrates a collection of adaptation to the traditional garden environment that allow safe and comfortable experiences for children and adults with disabilities or conditions that limit their mobility. The tour will include an overview of the adaptive tools and equipment that are available to enhance students' gardening abilities and experience.

Greenhouses: Limited to 30 participants

Explore the desert, the semi-tropical or the tropical greenhouses.

Regenstein Fruit & Vegetable Garden: Limited to 30 participants

Come experience the Regenstein Fruit & Vegetable Garden. Hear how the garden is transitioning from a conventional fruit and vegetable garden to an organic garden. Highlights will include a tour of the apple orchard and adjacent areas where small fruit is being grown, including cane fruits (raspberries and blackberries), grapes, currants, and multiple blueberry cultivars. Time will be spent touring the nut grove and exploring the theme-based vegetable beds.

Sensory Garden: Experience Your Senses!: Limited to 30 participants

Explore the William T. Bacon Sensory Garden, where all of your senses can bloom. Feel the leaves, smell the fragrant flowers, listen to the sounds of nature, discover the variety of colors, shapes, and sizes in the landscape. This walking tour will include the sensory beds, water-loving plants, the woodland area, and the hilltop garden.

Tram Ride

See what's in bloom and take a narrated tour around the 2.6 mile perimeter of the Garden. Highlights include views of our islands: Malott Japanese Garden, Evening Island, Spider Island, and the Regenstein Fruit and Vegetable Garden. Trams are wheelchair accessible.