

Take Root: Oakland Grows Food

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ActaNonVerba

A view of the Acta Non Verba farm, located in Tassafaronga Recreation Center in East Oakland.

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Acta Non Verba farm is an urban farm in East Oakland's Tassafaronga Recreation Center.

Chickens

Chickens in the coop at City Slicker Farms in West Oakland.

CitySlicker

City Slicker Farms in West Oakland provides healthy food to community members through its urban farms and backyard gardens.

Kale

Kale found in the garden run by Love Cultivating Schoolyards.

Kale Barrel

A fresh barrel of kale harvested by students of the Love Cultivating Schoolyards program near Fruitvale BART in Oakland.

KellyCarlisle

Kelly Carlisle, founder and executive director of Acta Non Verba, with her latest harvest from the farm.

Matthew Linzner

Matthew Linzner, program manager for Love Cultivating Schoolyards, at work in the garden.

PickingRaspberries

Youth involved in the Love Cultivating Schoolyards program pick fresh raspberries.

Raspberries

Youth are involved in hands-on garden activities with Love Cultivating Schoolyards.

Rodney

Rodney Spencer, executive director of City Slicker Farms, poses with a chicken on site.

Sprouts

Sprouting collards on display at City Slicker Farms in West Oakland.

Summer Harvest

Yellow squash from City Slicker Farms in West Oakland. The farm holds a weekly farm stand market for members of the community.

Tomatoes Greens

Fresh tomatoes and greens from City Slicker Farms in West Oakland.