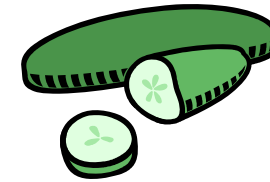
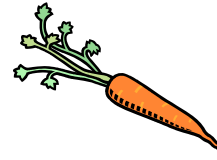
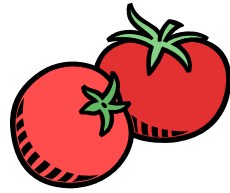


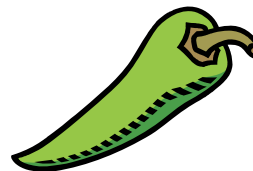
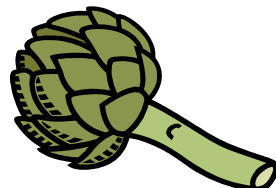
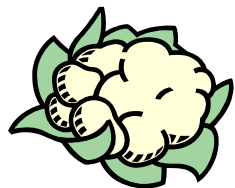
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Visiting Urban Community Food Growing Projects

Golden Lane Estate and
Fortune Street Gardens

11 September 2010, Food and Fun Fair



Residents on the Golden Lane Estate set up a Gardening Club, and gave each person a 'plot' of their own to maintain. Their growing space only started in April but they have had a really productive summer.



Jane from Golden Lane explaining about their community food growing project supported by Capital Growth

The Golden Lane gardeners used wooden pallets given to them by a nearby Travis Perkins for free, and bought in the bags with soil. The soil in bags provided a solution to growing in a concreted space. It also meant that the bags were a temporary feature while the food growing was trialled for its first year.

Capital Growth have also helped with funding and advice.





Tomatoes



Butternut squash flower



Runner beans



Courgette flower



Beetroot leaf

Chillis



Brussels sprouts



Coriander and Basil





This area is used by a resident to increase biodiversity, by creating a wild garden and planting species that attract wildlife







Fortune Street Garden's Fun Day



Corn



Beetroot

Composting bin



Lettuce



The residents of Fortune Street Gardens gave away their harvest at the Fun Day

The logo for Middlesex Green, featuring the text "Middlesex Green" in a white rounded rectangle on a dark green background, which is itself on a light green circular shape.

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This visit is part of the Middlesex Green project.

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