



## Marin Organic School Lunch & Gleaning Program

### SCHOOL LUNCH INTERNSHIP APPLICATION

Please apply by February 28<sup>th</sup> to be considered for our Spring-Summer Internship positions.

The Marin Organic School Lunch and Gleaning Program is helping to transform the school lunch choices for our kids. Six years ago, Marin Organic saw the potential in creatively connecting local farms to local schools to help our communities thrive. Now this extraordinary program each week enables 10,000 students from more than half of Marin's schools to eat organic foods grown in Marin, while actively fostering a strong sense of place in children. Please join us!

Our work with School Lunch is holistic and innovative in its approach, including selling and delivering foods to schools with the Marin Organic truck, gleaning extra foods from the fields for donation with the Marin Organic Glean Team, teaching kids about food and farming with Marin Organic Farm Days, and helping schools thrive with special events, student clubs, production gardens, and fun cafeteria signage.

Marin Organic is offering four four-month internship opportunities (6 hours per week) to help coordinate our Organic School Lunch and Gleaning Program. Committed parents, students, and community members are equally encouraged to apply.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (home): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (cell): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Which aspect of School Lunch interests you?

*(Check all that apply.)*

- Get local and organic foods into schools
- Glean extra foods with the MO Glean Team
- Develop and coordinate National Gleaning Day 2011
- Coordinate details in the office
- Teach kids on farms with MO Farm Days
- Staff MO booth at school festivals, farmers' markets, create an event
- Lead students in greening their school with Project Lunch
- Develop a fun and sustainable cafeteria
- What else is possible? Your own ideas:

**SKILLS, EXPERIENCE, INTERESTS:**

1. Skills:

What do you love to do?:

List any skills that might be helpful in your work with us (teaching, photography, graphic design, database management, community organizing, office work):

2. Have you volunteered for Marin Organic before? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If so, please indicate date & event of last engagement:

3. Please describe previous volunteer experience:

Activity	Organization

4. Are you able to lift and carry up to 50 lbs? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

**AVAILABILITY**

1. When are you available to intern with us? (Check all that apply.)

- Mondays     Tuesdays     Wednesdays     Thursdays     Fridays     Prefer weekends
- Mornings     Mid-days     Afternoons     Evenings
- Ideal schedule:

2. Do you have access to an automobile you can use for your internship?

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Type of automobile:

**REFERENCES & SIGNATURES**

1. How did you hear about us?

- Marin Organic website     Referred by friend     School councilor     Other:

List the name and phone number of a personal or professional reference (Please exclude relatives).

Reference \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Please review and sign the RELEASE OF LIABILITY form prior to your first volunteer shift with Marin Organic.**

Please return this form to:

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