

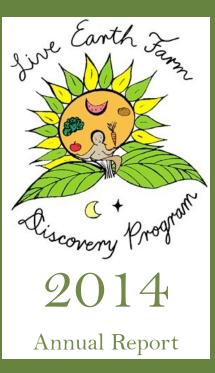
Providing farm-based nutrition education to 2200 children and families in 2014



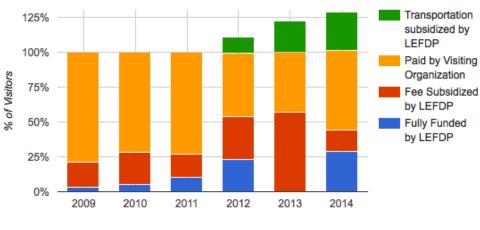
"How do you make an apple?" asked a student from Ann Soldo Elementary. The answer he learned at Live Earth Farm through hands-on exploration, "Plant a tree. Make compost to feed it. Conserve water for it to drink. Prune it. And after you harvest your apple from the tree, you feed the core to the chickens, who will give us eggs to eat and more compost to feed the tree."



Yasmin is a quiet 6th grader, who grew up on a ranch in Oaxaca before moving with her family to Watsonville. She did not know the value of the farming tnowledge she couired at home until she visited Live Earth Farm. While . feeding and caring for the goats, she felt respected for her experience with these animals and became a leader among her peers.



The Live Earth Farm Discovery Program's mission is to provide hands-on educational programs for youth on our farm and in local schools, focused on the environmental and nutritional value of local, organic, and sustainable food and farms. Our goal is to reach out to all segments of the community with an emphasis on low-income, diverse and under served populations. Due to LEFDP fundraising efforts, every year more underserved students attend our programs. LEFDP Subsidized Visits Trend 2009-2014



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When Roberto arrived at Live Earth Farm he could not wait to meet the chickens; little did he k n o w w a l k i n g through muddy fields to harvest kale would be his favorite part of his LEFDP field trip. Tasting sweet, winter Red Russian kale for the first time was even better.





LEFDP Offers a broad range of programs engaging and inspiring visitors to be stewards of their own health, that of their community and the environment.

- Farm Tours & Field Trips
- Wee Ones & Small Farmers
- 3 unique Farm Camps
- Home School Programs
- Wavecrest, SC Montessori
- Food What?! partnership
- Overnight Immersion Programs
- Annual Community Events

