



PRUNING FOR:

GOOD LIGHT HIGH YIELDS LARGE FRUIT



Jan. 18, 2020 | 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.



You have the shears and clippers, but are you confused about how exactly to prune your fruit trees for maximum yields? Join Maxwell Norton, UC Farm Advisor Emeritus, for the afternoon workshop for a hands-on experience in mastering the art of the shear. Participants should bring their pruning shears and gloves as you will practice pruning under close supervision.

Topics also covered:

- › Proper sharpening and care of pruning equipment
- › How to prune for optimal light distribution, increased yields and large fruit
- › Learn the differences among each species and how bearing habits and growth responses influence how you prune

ABOUT THE MASTER GARDENERS:

- › The Master Gardener Program is a volunteer group within the University of California Cooperative Extension that seeks to be the preferred source of research-based information on gardening, landscape, and resource conservation for the residents of Merced County.
- › Master Gardeners accomplish this through extension, informative outreach programs, and the workshops listed to the right.

RSVP:

CALL 209-385-7403 TODAY, TO RESERVE YOUR PLACE. Mon. – Fri. from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 to 5 p.m.

COST:

Upcoming workshops are free to attend unless otherwise stated. Suggested \$5 donation.

EDUCATION CREDIT:

Participants can apply for continuing education credit (CEU) through UC Merced Professional and Continuing Education for an additional \$40 for one CEU if they attend six workshops. You can apply for the CEU on November 30, 2020 at: ucm.edu/v/master-gardener-workshops

LOCATION:

2020 Master Gardener offerings are being finalized. Please visit <http://ucm.edu/v/master-gardeners> for schedule updates or signup to receive email notification at https://extension.ucmerced.edu/request_info



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