

Student Memories

Memories Old and New Celebrates Students!

Join some of Chicago's finest artists, photographers, crafters, and scrap bookers as we welcome and encourage all students of the arts during the month of September. Memories Old and New is committed to bringing the arts to everyone, and we'll have special exhibits, sales and store hours so students of all ages and their friends and families can experience the joy of art!

Special Store Hours Monday – Friday.....9 a.m. – 10 p.m.

 Saturday – Sunday.....9 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Special Sales Monday9 a.m. – 10 p.m.

 Thursday.....9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

 Saturday 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Student Exhibits		
School	Exhibit	Dates
Westview High	Photography	September 15 – 17
Fulton Elementary	Painting and Drawing	September 18 – 22
Parker Tech	Architectural Drawing	September 23 - 26

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Build a Trellis

BASIC TRELLIS

Trellises can add visual (and vertical!) interest to your garden. Follow these steps to build a simple one:

1. Determine where you will place the trellis and what type of plant it will support.
2. Assess what size trellis you will need.
3. Purchase redwood, cedar, or pressure-treated lumber. For a simple trellis, use 5/8-inch by 1 1/2-inch pieces for the uprights and crosspieces, 2-by-2s for the side pieces and bottom of the frame, and a 2-by-6 or 2-by-8 for the top piece.
4. Cut the upright pieces and lay them on the floor in your chosen design. Then cut the crosspieces, space them evenly on the uprights, and add a little waterproof glue. Finally, attach the pieces with nails or screws.
5. Cut the top piece to the same width as the grid.
6. Cut the side pieces to measure the length of the grid plus the top piece.
7. Attach the side pieces to the sides of the top of the frame with glue and countersunk deck screws.
8. Put the grid into the frame between the side pieces. The back of the grid should sit evenly with the back of the frame; the front of the frame will be a little wider than the grid.
9. Cut a 2-by-2 piece of lumber the width of the grid and slide it into place on the bottom of the grid. Attach with glue and deck screws.
10. Install the trellis in the desired location and add plants.

ROUGH TRELLIS

Are you interested in a more rustic trellis for a country setting? You might consider using rough cedar posts or other rot-resistant wood, as shown in the picture below, submitted to *Georgia Gardens* by Noah and Annie Armstrong. They recycled dead cedar trees from a nearby cedar swamp and built a trellis.

A rough trellis of this type could be used as a grape arbour, or used to grow morning glories, pole beans, or a combination of flowers and vegetables.



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