## **The Health Benefits of Food Gardening**

#### You benefit both physically and emotionally

# Lowers Grocery Bills

Spend less money on groceries while eating more fruits and veggies

# Work Out

Three hours of moderate gardening could equal a onehour gym session

### Bacteria Friends

Soil contains a natural antidepressant that can make us happier



#### Lowers Blood Pressure

30 minutes of moderate physical activity on most days can prevent and control high blood pressure.

# Immunity Booster

Direct exposure to dirt and plants can help boost your immune system



Gardening can help reduce the level of the stress hormone Cortisol

## Increases Vit D Level

Time in the sun prompts your body to produce Vitamin D which supports healthy bones





Homegrown veggies from healthy organic soil produces nutrientdense healthier meals than food you buy



One study revealed that daily gardening can reduce risk of dimentia by 36%