



**38 La Plaza Cultural & City Farm**  
East 9th St. bet. Aves. B & C

Lots of outdoor activities in this garden. Check flyers for performances, classes and tours. It's also fun to tend the garden. Look for pinwheels made from recycled soda cans, created by the artist WasteOne. ♦ C-10

**39 9th St. & Ave. C Garden**  
East 9th St. & Ave. C

Nice place to just chill & forget about buildings. You can plant things. It's a good place to cultivate your peace of mind. ♦ K-15

**40 6-B Community Garden**  
East 6th St. & Ave. B

This is Heaven! Full of individual plots, beautiful trees, flowers & fruits. 6B has a kids' play area, a stage & great art. Certified as a permanent garden, it's open to all whenever members are there. ♦ N-13

**41 Earth's School Compost Center**  
600 East 6th St. 212-979-3396

Compost is steamy, attractive & has no odor, really. Everyday, we add a bucket of leftovers after lunch. We are not wasting, but growing, and we help teach about it. ♦ C-11

**42 6BC Botanical Garden**  
624 East 6th St. 6bc.org

Lush with native plants, fish ponds, community compost & solar energy. A new children's garden is being created soon, please volunteer! Check the website for events.

**43 Boys & Girls Republic**  
888 East 6th St. 212-686-8888

Fun after-school program with computers, cultural projects & sports. ♦ G-11

**44 Recycle-a-Bicycle Shop**  
75 Ave. C bet. 4th & 5th St.  
212-475-1655 recycleabicycle.org

Learn to use tools and fix bikes. Buy recycled, safe bikes cheaply. Has a variety of fun programs "for life", including Ladies Fix a Flat workshops & summer Green Map projects at RAB locations around NYC. ♦ E-12

**45 Lower East Side Girls Club**  
220 East 4th St.  
212-982-1633 girlsclub.org

We can come and learn new things, hang out in a fun place and not be on the streets. It's cool to have a sisterhood. ♦ O-13

**46 Nuyorican Poets Cafe**  
236 East 3rd St. bet. B & C  
212-505-8183 nuyorican.org

Check out spoken word, hip hop, open mic, the philosophy, theater & live music. ♦ I-18

**47 Maria's Cafe**  
32 Ave. C at 3rd St. 646-654-0159

Spanish bagels, fresh juice and some vegetarian foods. Maria's is generous. ♦ O-10

**48 Chico's Murals**  
East Houston at Ave. B & all over!

Watch for Chico's colorful art spots all over the Lower East Side. These memorials of Elisa & Selena are peaceful & inspiring. ♦ P-11

**49 Key Food's Recycling Machine**  
East 4th St. & Ave. A

People can recycle soda bottles and cans in special recycling machines on the side of the supermarket. And they get money back! Everyone can recycle! ♦ K-14

NYC ♻️: 212-219-8090 nyc.gov/strongest

**50 4th St. Food Coop**  
58 East 4th St. bet. 2nd & Bowery  
212-674-3623 4thstreetfoodcoop.org

This organic food shop is the oldest co-op in NYC. Working lowers your food bill by 25%!

**51 Liz Christy Garden**  
Houston St. & Bowery  
212-594-2155 greenguerillas.org

NYC's first Community Garden, built by Green Guerillas (a great greening group!). Learn about plants, ponds & the cultivation/conservation of urban community gardens. Open every Sat. afternoon, year-round. ♦ R-54

**52 Paper Tiger TV**  
339 Lafayette St.  
212-420-9045 papertiger.org

Youth video workshops and a resource for social, environmental and political videos.

**53 Planned Parenthood of NYC**  
26 Bleeker St.  
212-274-7200 ppnyc.org

Women's Health Services (HIV testing, pregnancy services and counseling). ♦ D-18

**54 Anthology Film Archives**  
32 2nd Ave. 212-505-5181

Films you will not see anywhere else!

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**GREEN MAP**

Charting Lower Manhattan's Environment, as Seen by Youth

