



# INTRODUCTION TO DIAGNOSTICS FOR MASTER GARDENER VOLUNTEERS

Approaches to Plant Pest Diagnosis

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## About the Course:

“Introduction to Diagnostics” was created specifically for Master Gardener Volunteers, to help in understanding the steps involved in plant pest diagnosis. Consisting of narrated PowerPoint presentations, handouts, fact-sheets and other resources, “Introduction to Diagnostics” will help new and experienced volunteers gain confidence in the diagnostic process. Access this on-line course at your convenience anywhere you have internet access. Upon completion, participants will earn a certificate for 3 hours of continuing education credits.

## To Enroll:

Visit the eXtension website, [campus.extension.org](http://campus.extension.org) and set up an account using the "Create an account" link on the left side of the page. It's free, easy and secure. Once you have that account created, log into the site, scroll through the available course categories and select Master Gardener. Then select “Introduction to Diagnostics,” and pay for the course (\$10). Once payment is complete, you can view the course website and get started. Participants will have access to the course for 10 weeks after payment.