



OLD WAYS HERBAL APPRENTICE APPLICATION

Name: _____ Address: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____
Emergency Contact: _____
Serious Allergies (i.e. bee stings): _____

Which program are you applying for?

Traditional (May-Oct) _____ High Summer (July-August) _____

Tell me about yourself. What are you interested in? What do you love to do?

Tell me about your experience in herbal medicine.

What is your knowledge level related to herbal medicine, gardening, at-risk plants, etc.? Have you taken any classes or been to an herb school prior to this?

Do you embrace any particular schools of thought about herbalism? I'm interested in your influences if you have thoughts about what they are.

What is your primary interest in herbalism? What topics interest you most?

What are you hoping to learn with me this summer? I will tailor the topics to your needs, so the more specific you are, the better. This will change as the season progresses but it gives us a good starting place.

Apprentices commit to the schedule on the website for the growing season. There are airbnb and inn options locally, as well as WWOOF placements, farm jobs that come with housing, etc. **PLAN IN ADVANCE** if you are moving here for the growing season! It is extremely difficult to find housing around here and this is not something to do at the last minute, unless you're comfortable booking something like an AirBnb or camping. Ok?

Will you need to set up a payment plan?

There are also optional opportunities to attend conferences, classes with other teachers etc.—whatever I'm doing, you're invited. I prefer to have an apprentice with me when I teach at conferences as it's very helpful and fun for everyone. As of right now (December) it is not clear what opportunities will arise due to COVID. Does that sound like something you'd be interested in, if it's happening?

Do you have any special needs or physical requirements that might effect your ability to do physical labor on a hot day, go on a hike to wildcraft plants, dig holes to plant trees, etc.? Note: this does not disqualify you. It simply affects the schedule & my planning process.

What are your questions about the program, my practice, etc?

Thank you very much for your interest in this program. I will let you know as soon as possible if you have been accepted. Please email this to me oldwaysherbal@gmail.com AND make sure you have paid your apprentice deposit through the website!