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## Soil Microscrope Analysis

*"If we want clean water, we have to get the biology back in our soils. If we want to grow and harvest crops, we have to build soil and fertility with time, not destroy it. The only way to reach these endpoints is to improve the life in the soil."*

*~ Dr. Elaine Ingham.*

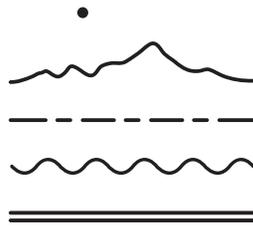
### \*\* PLEASE READ : SAMPLING INSTRUCTIONS:

1. For garden/farm soil: Using an apple corer or a clean trowel, dig no deeper than 3-6" into the soil or zone of absorbing roots to take 3 representative samples of the area in question.
2. For compost, sample at 6" depth halfway between the ground and the top of the pile to take 3 representative samples
3. For compost tea, take 3 representative samples from the middle of your brewer and place in a clean 1 liter bottle with a cap. Include 2/3 airspace and only 1/3 tea solution.
4. Combine the representative samples.
5. Place 1 cup of the resulting mixture into a sealable zip-top sandwich bag (use a 1 liter bottle for compost tea filled 1/3 with tea and 2/3 with air) and label with your last name, date and email address using a sharpie.
6. Complete all fields below and paperclip or rubber band THIS FORM to the baggie or bottle and bring to Villagers for pick up. Villagers is located at 278 Haywood Road, in West Asheville.
7. Please allow 7-10 business days for evaluation and response. To request updates on the status of your sample(s) please email only.  
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Your name:	
Address, City, ST, Zip:	
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Type of Sample: \_\_\_ Soil \_\_\_ Compost \_\_\_ Compost Tea

Sample ID (required for each soil sample)	
Intended Crop:	
History of Field/Plot:	
Date Sample was Taken:	
Soil Type:	

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