

# Organic Production Courses

Teagasc will host a series of 25-hour FETAC accredited courses in Organic Production starting on Monday, 25 January.

*On completion of the course, participants will be proficient in:*

- Interpretation of organic standards
- The principles of organic production
- Assessing economic viability and market opportunities

These courses qualify applicants for the Organic Farming Scheme, re-launched January 2010.

COURSE	VENUE (TEAGASC CENTRES)	LEADER	DATE
Introduction to Organic Vegetable Production	Kinsealy	Elaine Leavy	Mon 25 Jan
Introduction to Organic Farming	Thurles	Pat Barry	Tues 26 Jan
	Boyle Letterkenny	Dan Clavin Elaine Leavy	Wed 27 Jan
	Ballyhaise Claremorris Kilmallock Tullamore	Elaine Leavy Dan Clavin Pat Barry James McDonnell	Thurs 28 Jan
	Oak Park	James McDonnell	Fri 29 Jan

All courses run from 10 am – 4 pm, one day per week over five consecutive weeks. **Cost €200. Pre booking essential.**

**Further information from course leaders:**

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