

**Permaculture Practitioner Course at Aarde-Werk de Stegge,  
Dates: 27 -03-2017 – 17-06-2017**

You can not learn permaculture from a book! You need to apply permaculture **in practice**. Nature itself is the best teacher to learn more about soil, plants, mulch and compost, design principles and their application in practice.

That's why we have decided to start a Permaculture Practitioner Course.

In this 3 months event, you will be involved as a part-time **intern** in daily work on permaculture farm Aarde-Werk de Stegge.

In these three months (27th of march – 17th of june) :

- During one or two mornings per week you will look and discuss with us parts of the online Permaculture Design Course designed by Geoff Lawton wherein we subscribed.
- Two afternoons and one day you will apply in practice what you learned by working on the Permaculture designed farm of Aarde-Werk de Stegge
- The rest of the week (two days) you will work as a Wwoofer on the land with all that has to be done on the farm. You also help out preparing meals and doing dishes.
- In the weekends you take care of yourself for three out of four weeks, one weekend there will be a course that is also part of the internship:
  - you will follow the 'permaculture vegetable garden-course' in a weekend
  - you will follow the weekendcourse ' restoration of the fertility of the (top)soil'
  - you will attend an Introductioncourse to Deep Ecology in a weekend as a philosophical and deepening of awareness.
- you will prepare a Permaculture Design for a piece of land under your responsibility or in response to a request from a 'client' of yours

During your stay at Aarde-Werk de Stegge you will enjoy the power of wind, sun, rain and seasons, You will realise how magnificent nature works , how meaningful and satisfying it is to be in close contact with plants, flowers, cows and chickens, wild life and nice people around you.

You will enjoy, as others did before you, the joy of healthy and fresh food, fresh baked bread and a clean and healthy neighbourhood.

You may subscribe in the following sheet and we will contact you for further introduction and intake.

**The cost of the course (all education above included) is € 750,- excl 21% taxes.**

**The cost for catering and housing during the course days is € 30,- per course week (12 weeks) excl 6% taxes.**

If you want to stay the whole period at our farm, we count on your wwoof-capacities working on the land for at least 6 hours a day where there is no course, and your stay is for free then . In the weekend we provide you of food-ingredients and you will cook for yourself.

We are curious to hear if you would be interested....

Please, fill in the registration form on our website: [http://www.aarde-werkdestegge.nl/activiteiten/activiteit/activiteit activiteit/t/praktijkopleiding permacultuur](http://www.aarde-werkdestegge.nl/activiteiten/activiteit/activiteit%20activiteit/t/praktijkopleiding%20permacultuur)

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