



Leave a Legacy of Growth, Healing, and Hope

A guide to remembering Sydenham Garden in your Will



At Sydenham Garden, we believe in the power of nature, creativity, and community to transform lives. By leaving a gift in your Will to Sydenham Garden, you can help more people access our services — planting seeds of hope for generations to come.

2. Why Leave a charitable legacy?

A legacy gift is a powerful way to ensure your values live on. Remembering Sydenham Garden in your Will a lasting act of kindness that will help us:

- Cultivate **therapeutic gardens** that restore body and mind
- Create **spaces for art, music, and self-expression**
- Build **pathways to confidence, learning, and new opportunities**
- Protect and enhance **biodiversity and green space** in South London

Whether large or small, your gift will help people flourish in the face of adversity.

3. Types of Gifts You Can Leave

There are several ways to include Sydenham Garden in your Will:

- **Residuary gift:** A percentage of your estate after other gifts are made – this is the most inflation proof way to help
- **Pecuniary gift:** A fixed sum of money
- **Specific gift:** An item such as property, shares, or artwork
- **Contingent gift:** A gift that depends on other conditions being met

Your solicitor can help you choose the option that best suits your wishes.

4. How to Leave a Gift

To include Sydenham Garden in your Will, your solicitor will need:


Charity Name: Sydenham Garden

Registered Charity No: 1108100

Registered Address: Sydenham Garden Resource Centre, 28a Wynell Road, London, SE23 2LW

5. Get in touch

If you've remembered Sydenham Garden in your Will - or are thinking about it - we'd be absolutely delighted to hear from you and to know what has inspired you to help in this way. We'd also be more than happy to answer any questions you may have.

 Call us: 020 8291 1650

 Email: info@sydenhamgarden.org.uk

6. Be Remembered

We believe every legacy gift is a story worth remembering. As a heartfelt thank you, we offer you - or your executors - the option to have your name inscribed on our Remembrance Plaque. Your family are very welcome to visit the garden, see the plaque, and enjoy the peace to be found here.

7. Frequently Asked Questions

Do I need to tell Sydenham Garden I've left a gift?

No, but we'd love to hear from you and are more than happy to answer any questions you might have.

Can I change my mind?

Yes. You can update your Will at any time.

Will my family still be looked after?

Absolutely. Your solicitor can help ensure your loved ones are provided for first.

Is there a minimum gift amount?

No. Every gift, no matter the size, makes a difference.

8. About Sydenham Garden

We're a charity based in Lewisham, South London, supporting people living with mental health challenges, dementia, and other health conditions. Through social and therapeutic horticulture, creative arts, and community-based recovery programmes, we help people rediscover purpose, confidence, and joy.

Learn more at sydenhamgarden.org.uk

