## DIVISION III – EDUCATION FROM EVERY CONTINENT TO EVERY CULTURE

## **Section A – Across Continents**

Class 1. New York Botanical Garden,

New York, USA.

A National Historic Landmark



NYBG is located at Bronx Park. Established in 1891, it is situated on a 250-acre site that contains a landscape with over one million living plants; Enid A. Haupt Conservatory, a greenhouse containing several habitats; the LuEsther T. Mertz Library, which contains one of the worlds' largest collections of botany-related texts. NYBG contains 50 different gardens and plant collections. NYBG is also a major educational institution, teaching visitors about plant science, ecology, and healthful eating through NYBG's interactive programming. NYBG operates one of the world's largest plant research and conservation programs. NYBG held public exhibitions throughout its history including the Holiday Train Show, The Orchid Show, Kiku Japanese Chrysanthemums, and also large-scale, stand-alone exhibitions, such as Sculpture from the Museum of Modern Art, and Chihuly @ NYBG.



https:/www.nybg.org

Class 2. University of British Columbia Botanic Garden and Research Centre, Canada



UBC Botanical Garden, is the oldest botanical garden at a university in Canada, established in 1916 under the directorship of John Davidson, British Columbia's first provincial botanist. The garden covers approximately 110 acres and includes over 8000 different kinds of plants. Gardens include an Asian garden, an alpine garden, a native plants garden, a food garden and a physic (medicinal) garden. In 2002, the UBC Centre for Plant Research became the research arm of the UBC Botanical Garden examining topics such as plant adaptation, genomics and phyto-chemistry.



https://www.botanicalgarden.ubc.ca

## Class 3. Cambridge University Botanic Gardens, Cambridge, England



The Cambridge University Botanic Garden, created in 1831 and opened to the public in 1846, is associated with the university Department of Plant Sciences. The garden covers 40 acres. The site is almost entirely on level ground and in addition to its scientific value, the garden is highly rated by gardening enthusiasts. It holds a plant collection of over 8,000 plant species from all over the world to facilitate teaching and research.



http://www.botanic.cam.ac.uk

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