

Scope of landscape gardening

- Towns with open spaces around the buildings and their terraces, industries with their specific problems of controlling pollution, amusement parks hotels, aerodromes, roadways, riverbanks etc are some areas that require the services of a landscape architect.
- The landscape architecture has become a profession.
- Landscape architecture is concerned with the relationship between people and the landscape and with all aspects of land use
- It is the art of arranging land and landscape for human use, convenience and enjoyment
- It is concerned with the individual home and the whole community
- The objectives of the landscape are to integrate functionally and aesthetically, the people, building and site
- Plants and space are the main tools to achieve these objectives
- Landscape architecture is closely linked to arts, architecture, planning, ecology, sociology and horticulture. As a result, landscape architects are increasingly being involved in interdisciplinary projects
- India has tremendous potential of growing ornamental crops because it is endowed with diverse agro-climatic conditions which help to grow various kinds of flowers almost throughout the year in one part of the country or the other. There is scope for expanding area under flowers.
- It creates employment because floriculture is labour intensive, it provides more farm employment to rural and urban population by way of growing and selling floricultural products.
- Scope to extract essential oil from the flowers and also to make dry flowers which can be a source of income and employment.
- Provide scope for diversification in agricultural sector
- Generates extra income by starting nurseries, tissue culture units, by opening

florists' shop, plant rental services, by landscaping (Commercial and residential sites). Specializing in landscape gardening can offer various skills and one who is acquiring such skills can become an entrepreneur by himself in any one of the fields like consultancy skills, industrial skills etc.

- Earning income through sales of landscape accessories, resources, garden tools, bio inputs.