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The Dalston Eastern Curve Garden

A meeting place for people and plants in the heart of Dalston

Opened in summer 2010, the garden has been created on the old Eastern Curve railway line which once linked Dalston Junction Station to the North London Line.

A spacious wooden garden pavilion constructed by architectural collective EXYZT, who created the Dalston Mill on the same site in 2009, provides covered space for events, workshops and gatherings.

Wildlife-friendly trees and shrubs, including hazel, hawthorn and birch have been planted alongside butterfly bushes, bracken and other plants that were already growing on the derelict site. The Garden also includes large raised beds for growing food, which are already filling up fast with tomatoes, peppers and scented herbs, all grown by Dalston residents.





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