



# Planting Recommendations

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Annual = (A), Perennial = (P), Biennial = (B)

<b>Early Spring</b> (1-10 wks before average last frost ) <i>see packet for details</i>	<b>Spring</b> (At or after average last frost) <i>may be started earlier indoors</i>	<b>Early Summer</b> (1-2 wks after average last frost) - <i>when soil is warm</i>	<b>Late Summer -            Early Fall</b>
<p><b>Flowers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alyssum Basket of Gold (P)</li> <li>Armeria Formosa (P)</li> <li>Bachelor Buttons (A)</li> <li>Balloon Flower (P)</li> <li>Bee Balm (P)</li> <li>Bellflower (P)</li> <li>Bells of Ireland (A)</li> <li>Bishops Flower (A)</li> <li>Bluebells, Desert (A)</li> <li>Calendula (A)</li> <li>California Poppies (A)</li> <li>Candytuft (P)</li> <li>Canterbury Bells (B)</li> <li>Catchfly (A)</li> <li>Chinese Lantern (P)</li> <li>Columbine (P)</li> <li>Cupids Dart (P)</li> <li>Daisy Painted, Shasta (P)</li> <li>Daisy White Buttons (A)</li> <li>Datura (A)</li> <li>Diascia (A)</li> <li>Echinacea (P)</li> <li>English Daisy (P)</li> <li>Feverfew (P)</li> <li>Forget-Me-Not Spg/Smr (A,B)</li> <li>Forget-Me-Not Victoria (P)</li> <li>Foxglove (B)</li> <li>Gaillardia (P)</li> <li>Godetia (A)</li> <li>Grass Blue Eyed (P)</li> <li>Grass Blue Fescue (P)</li> <li>Grass Bunny Tails (A)</li> <li>Helenium (P)</li> <li>Ladies Mantle (P)</li> <li>Larkspur (A)</li> <li>Lavender (P)</li> <li>Lobelia (A)</li> <li>Love In A Mist (A)</li> <li>Pansies (P)</li> <li>Penstemon (P)</li> <li>Phlox (A)</li> <li>Poppies (A)</li> <li>Rudbeckias (P)</li> <li>Snapdragons (A)</li> <li>Stock (A)</li> <li>Sweet Peas (A), (P)</li> <li>Texas Bluebonnet (A)</li> <li>Verbascum (P)</li> <li>Verbena Brazilian Vervain (P)</li> <li>Violas (P)</li> <li>Virginian Stock (A)</li> <li>Wallflower (P)</li> <li>Yarrow (P)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Flowers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Agastache Sunset Hyssop (P)</li> <li>Alyssum (A)</li> <li>Amaranth Burgundy (A)</li> <li>Aster Dwarf Milady (A)</li> <li>Black Eyed Susan Vine (A)</li> <li>Butterfly Flower (P)</li> <li>Carnation (P)</li> <li>** Cat Grass (A)</li> <li>Chocolate Flower (P)</li> <li>Cleome (A)</li> <li>** Coleus (A)</li> <li>Coreopsis (P)</li> <li>Cosmos (A)</li> <li>Dahlia Delight Mix (A)</li> <li>Daisy African (A)</li> <li>Delphinium (P)</li> <li>Flax Blue Lewisii (A)</li> <li>Four O'Clock (A)</li> <li>Hyacinth Bean Vine (A)</li> <li>Impatiens (A)</li> <li>Love Lies Bleeding (A)</li> <li>Lupine (P)</li> <li>Marigolds (A)</li> <li>Mexican Sunflower (A)</li> <li>Money Plant (B)</li> <li>Nasturtiums (A)</li> <li>Nicotiana (A)</li> <li>Quinoa (A)</li> <li>Scabiosa (P)</li> <li>Statice (A)</li> <li>Strawflower (A)</li> <li>Sunflowers (A)</li> <li>Sweet Annie (A)</li> <li>Sweet William (B)</li> <li>Vinca Little Bright Eyes (A)</li> </ul> <p><u>Large Packet Flower Mixes</u> (sow outdoors)</p>	<p><b>Flowers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Broom Corn (A)</li> <li>Cardinal Climber (A)</li> <li>Castor Bean (A)</li> <li>Celosia (A)</li> <li>Cypress Vine (A)</li> <li>Gomphrena (A)</li> <li>Hibiscus (A)</li> <li>Hollyhocks (B)</li> <li>Morning Glories (A)</li> <li>Moonflower (A)</li> <li>Zinnias (A)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Flowers:</b></p> <p><u>8-10 wks before avg 1st frost</u> Most biennials and perennials</p> <p><u>10-12 wks before avg 1<sup>st</sup> frost</u> Pansy (P) Perennial Bloom (Lg Pkt) Poppy Iceland (P) Sweet William (B) Viola (P)</p> <p><u>Warm Climates only</u> Bachelor Buttons (A) Calendula (A) California Poppies (A) Catchfly (A) Daisy African, Cape (A) English Daisy (P) Lobelia (A) Money Plant (B) Nasturtiums (A) Quinoa (A) Sweet Peas (A), (P) Texas Bluebonnet (A) Verbena Brazilian Vervain (P)</p> <p>* <u>Lavender</u> and <u>Sea Holly</u> are best sown at or near the 1<sup>st</sup> frost date. Winter conditions will encourage germination in spring.</p> <p>Perennials can either be sown early (as noted above), so plants can root in before winter. Or --- seed can be sown after frost and will lie dormant until spring.</p>

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<p><b>Herbs:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>** Burnet Salad (P)</li> <li>** Catnip (P)</li> <li>** Chamomile (A)</li> <li>** Chervil (A)</li> <li>** Chives (P)</li> <li>Echinacea (P)</li> <li>** Feverfew (P)</li> <li>** Lavender (P)</li> <li>** Parsley (A)</li> <li>** Rosemary (cold climates)</li> <li>** Sage (P)</li> <li>Sorrel (P)</li> <li>** Watercress (P)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Herbs:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Borage (A)</li> <li>** Cilantro/Coriander (A)</li> <li>** Dill (A)</li> <li>** Fennel</li> <li>** Lemon Balm (P)</li> <li>** Marjoram (A)</li> <li>** Mint (P)</li> <li>** Mitsuba (P)</li> <li>** Rosemary (P, zone 8+)</li> <li>** Savory (A)</li> <li>Sweet Annie (A)</li> <li>Yarrow (P)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Herbs:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Anise (A)</li> <li>** Basil (A)</li> <li>** Hibiscus (A)</li> <li>** Oregano (P)</li> <li>** Shiso (A)</li> <li>** Thyme (P)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Herbs:</b></p> <p><u>10-12 wks before avg 1st frost</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Burnet Salad</li> <li>Thyme</li> </ul> <p>Watercress (Do not let dry out during winter)</p> <p><u>8-10 wks before avg 1<sup>st</sup> frost</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Catnip, Chives, Clary Sage, Echinacea, Feverfew, Lavender, Lemon Balm, Mint, Mitsuba, Oregano, Yarrow</li> </ul> <p><u>6-8 wks before avg 1<sup>st</sup> frost</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sage, Sorrel</li> </ul> <p><u>Warm Climates:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chamomile (A)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Vegetables:</b></p> <p><u>**Start indoors**</u></p> <p><b>Artichokes</b></p> <p><b>Celery</b></p> <p><b>Eggplant</b></p> <p><b>Peppers</b></p> <p><b>Tomatillos</b></p> <p><b>Tomatoes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Arugula</li> <li>Beans - Fava</li> <li>Beets</li> <li>Bok Choy</li> <li>Broccoli, Broccoli Raab</li> <li>Cabbage</li> <li>Cauliflower</li> <li>Carrots</li> <li>Chinese Cabbage</li> <li>Collards</li> <li>Endive, Escarole</li> <li>Kale</li> <li>Leeks</li> <li>Lettuce</li> <li>Mache</li> <li>Mesclun Mix</li> <li>** Micro Greens</li> <li>Mustard</li> <li>Onions</li> <li>Peas</li> <li>Radishes (Spring types)</li> <li>Spinach</li> <li>Swiss Chard</li> <li>Turnips</li> </ul>	<p><b>Vegetables:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Amaranth</li> <li>Radish White Icicle (outdoors)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Vegetables:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Beans – most varieties</li> <li>Bitter Melon</li> <li>Corn</li> <li>Cucumbers</li> <li>Edamame/Soybean</li> <li>Gourds</li> <li>Melons</li> <li>Muskmelons</li> <li>Okra</li> <li>Pumpkins</li> <li>Spinach New Zealand</li> <li>Squash – Summer</li> <li>Squash - Winter</li> <li>Watermelon</li> </ul>	<p><b>Vegetables:</b></p> <p><u>(# wks before avg 1<sup>st</sup> frost)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Arugula (2-4)</li> <li>Beets (8-12)</li> <li>Bok Choy (8-10)</li> <li>Broccoli, Broccoli Raab (10-12)</li> <li>Cabbage (10-12)</li> <li>Cauliflower (10-12)</li> <li>Carrots (8-10)</li> <li>Chinese Cabbage (6-8)</li> <li>Collards (10-12)</li> <li>Endive, Escarole (10-12)</li> <li>Kale (10-12)</li> <li>Lettuce (3-6)</li> <li>Mache (4-6)</li> <li>** Micro Greens (3-6)</li> <li>Mustard (6-10)</li> <li>Radishes (Winter types, 1-8)</li> <li>Spinach (2-4)</li> <li>Swiss Chard (8-10)</li> </ul> <p><u>Warm Climates:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Artichokes (sow in early fall, transplant out 6 wks before 1<sup>st</sup> avg frost)</li> <li>Leeks</li> <li>Onion Walla Walla</li> <li>Onion Yellow Granex</li> <li>Peas</li> <li>Radicchio</li> <li>Turnips</li> </ul>
<p><b>** Grow these herbs and greens indoors any time of year on a sunny windowsill, under grow lights, or fluorescent bulbs.</b></p> <p><b>Mung Bean and Alfalfa sprouts can also be grown indoors year round.</b></p>			