

In The Garden Workshops

Fall Vegetable Gardening

Everyone loves fresh vegetables, and there is nothing more fresh than vegetables straight from your garden. Follow these easy steps to create your own vegetable garden.



1. Select a nice sunny spot and plan the layout of your garden. If you have limited space, think about planting vegetables in containers.
2. Prepare the soil using a pre-mixed soil such as our Kerby's Planting Soil, or make your own from a variety of ingredients. Till or turn the new soil in the planting area a few weeks before planting for the best results.
3. Select vegetables based on your taste and the time of year that you are planting.
4. If you are starting from seeds, start in smaller containers or trays.
5. Plant the vegetables. Most of your vegetables will do the best if they are planted level with the existing soil.
6. Take care of the plants. Water carefully to maintain consistent moisture without creating a soggy condition. Fertilize weekly if you use a liquid fertilizer such as Miracle-Gro © or monthly if you are using a slow release fertilizer such as Kerby's 8-4-8.
7. Watch for bugs and disease. Be prepared to do a little spraying to keep your vegetables in top shape. Make sure that anything you spray is listed for vegetables.
8. Pick when ripe and enjoy!

Cool-Season Vegetables

Plant as the weather turns cooler

- Collard and Mustard Greens
- Lettuce and Spinach
- Cabbage
- Onions
- Broccoli
- Cauliflower
- Radishes
- Strawberries
- Snow Peas
- And More!

Warm-Season Vegetables

Plant in September

- Beans
- Cantaloupes and Watermelons
- Corn
- Cucumbers
- Eggplant
- Peppers
- Squash and Zucchini
- Tomatoes
- And More!

