



**BULB PLANTING CHART**

TYPE	PLANTING TIME	DEPTH	DISTANCE APART	SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
<b>Agapanthus</b>	Fall, winter, spring		3 ft.	Plant same as grown in nursery
<b>Allium</b>	Fall	3 in.	1 ft.	Use for tall background planting
<b>Amaryllis</b>	Winter, spring	4 in. pots	1 ft.	Crowd in pot, leave top 1/3 of bulb exposed.
<b>Anemone</b>	Fall, winter	1 in.	15 in.	In areas with mild winters, or plant in spring
<b>Begonia (tuberous rooted)</b>	Spring	Transplant	1 ft.	Plant after sprout appears in leaf mold, hollow side up. Just barely cover tuber. Transplant to pots or garden
<b>Caladium</b>	Spring	3 in.	2 ft.	In the garden be sure soil is warm or bulb will rot
<b>Calla (white &amp; black)</b>	Fall	2 in.	2 ft. white, 6 in. black	Good for north side of the house or fence
<b>Canna</b>	Winter, spring	3 in.	3 ft.	Plenty of water in summer
<b>Colchicum</b>	August	3 in.	1 ft.	Blooms without soil or water first year
<b>Crocus</b>	Fall	2 in.	In groups	Plant ten bulbs in ten-inch diameter area
<b>Daffodil</b>	Fall	7 in.	8 in.	Plant in groups in the garden. For growing in pots, be sure and crowd bulbs in pot. Top of bulb exposed
<b>Dahlia</b>	Spring	6 in.	1 ft.	Plant 6 in. deep but just barely cover tuber. Fill in more soil later
<b>Daylily</b>	Winter, spring		18 in.	Very little water before sprouts appear
<b>Freesia</b>	Fall	2 in.	In groups	Plant about ten bulbs in a ten-inch diameter area
<b>Fritillaria</b>	Fall	6 in.	1 ft.	Plant in background. Unpleasant odor
<b>Gerbera daisy</b>	Winter, spring	Crown showing	18 in.	Very little water before sprouts appear
<b>Gladiolus</b>	Spring, summer	6 in.	4 in.	Plant in groups, preferably as separate colors
<b>**Gladiolus</b>	Fall, winter	6 in.	4 in.	In warm areas, only where minimum temperature is over 32°F
<b>Gloxinia</b>	Winter, spring	Pots only		Use planter soil only. Plant in small pots at first and then more to larger as they grow. Keep warm
<b>Hyacinth</b>	Fall	4 in.	6 in.	Partial shade in warmer areas
<b>Hyacinths in glass</b>	Fall	Base just touching water		Keep in dark until 6 in. high, then filtered light. Change water occasionally
<b>Iris (Dutch)</b>	Fall	5 in.	2 in.	Plant in groups, full sun
<b>Iris (Bearded)</b>	Summer	1 in.	1 ft.	Spread roots outward, fertilize sparingly
<b>Ismene</b>	Fall	1 in.	8 in.	Will freeze in temperatures under 32°F
<b>Leucojum (snowflake)</b>	Fall	4 in.	8 in.	Blooms better second year
<b>Lily (hybrid)</b>	Fall, winter, spring	4 in.	18 in.	Prefer acid fertilizer in western soils
<b>Lily of the Valley</b>	When available	¼ in.	1 in.	In pots use soil, sand or peat moss. In the garden, plant in shade
<b>Lycoris (Spider Lily)</b>	Fall	4 in.	3 in.	Very close together in clumps
<b>Muscari (grape hyacinth)</b>	Fall	2 in.	4 in.	For dwarf borders only
<b>Narcissus (polyanthus)</b>	Fall, winter	5 in.	8 in.	Can also be grown in shallow dishes with gravel and water



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<b>Ornithogalum (Star of Bethlehem)</b>	Fall	4 in.	1 ft.	Semi-tender, avoid freezing
<b>Peony (Bush)</b>	Winter, spring	2 in.	2 ft.	Prefers cold winters and acidic soil
<b>Peony (Tree)</b>	Winter		4 ft.	Plant same depth as in nursery pot
<b>Phlox</b>	Winter, spring	½ in.	1 ft.	Full sun
<b>Ranunculus</b>	Fall	½ in.	1 ft.	Just cover and water sparingly at first
<b>Scilla</b>	Fall	2 in.	6 in.	Plant in areas where they can multiply for several years
<b>Sparaxis</b>	Fall	2 in.	4 in.	Plant in groups
<b>Tuberose</b>	Spring	2 in.	6 in.	Very fragrant. Keep in background
<b>Tulip</b>	Fall	7 in.	4 in.	Plant in groups, shade in warm areas. Refrigerate bulbs before planting

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