

Container garden planner

A simple plan for your space, your pots and your next planting.

01 Observe your space

Location / nearest city

Planning date / season

Usable space: width x depth (inches or feet)

Direct sun: hours observed / time of day

Exposure: wind, rain, reflected heat or shade

02 Sketch the layout

Mark pots, sun direction, walking space and access to water.

03 Check before you plant

- ☐ Confirm that the space permits containers and that drainage will not cause damage.
- ☐ Check local planting guidance and the forecast; a region is not a planting date.
- ☐ Choose crops and pot sizes together. Leave room to reach and care for each plant.

Choose your pots & crops

Keep plant labels and local planting advice nearby as you fill this in.

04 **Planting plan**

Pot ID	Crop / variety	Pot size / volume	Start method*	Target date	Actual date

*For example: direct sow, transplant or an established plant.

05 **Supplies & notes**

Record dates as plans, then adjust for local weather and the needs of each crop.