

Vegetable Planting Calendar for Central Florida

CROP	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	Cold Hardiness	Days from Seed-Harvest	Days from Transplant-Harvest
Beans, Snap ^(seed)		X	X	X					X				T	50-60	
Beans, Pole ^(seed, climbing vine)		X	X	X				X	X				T	55-70	
Bean, Winged (Day-Neutral) ^(climbing vine)			X	X	X	X	X	X	X				T	70-180	
Beans, Lima ^(seed)		X	X	X					X				T	65-75	
Beets ^(seed)	X	X	X							X	X	X	H	50-65	
Broccoli ^(seedling)	X							X	X	X	X	X	H	75-90	55-70
Brussels Sprouts ^(seedling)										X	X	X	H	110-120	90-100
Cabbage	X								X	X	X	X	H	90-100	70-90
Cantaloupe ^(need space)		X	X	X									T	75-90	65-75
Carrots ^(seed)	X	X	X							X	X	X	H	65-80	
Cauliflower	X									X	X	X	H	75-90	55-70
Celery	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	H	115-125	80-105
Chayote ^(plant whole fruit; barely cover; climbing vine)		X	X	X									T	150-180	
Chinese Cabbage	X									X	X	X	H	70-90	60-70
Collards ^(seed)	X	X	X	X				X	X	X	X	X	H	70-80	40-60
Corn, Sweet ^(difficult, min. 6' x 8' space needed; overplant)		X	X					X	X				T	60-95	
Cucumber ^(climbing vine)		X	X						X				T	50-65	40-50
Eggplant ^(seedling)	X	X	X					X	X				T	90-110	75-90
Endive/Escarole ^(seed)	X	X							X				H	80-95	
Gourds ^(seed; more ornamental than edible; climbing vine)			X	X									SH	80-130	
Jicama ^(plant root pieces/seed; only root is edible; climbing vine)					X	X	X	X					T	180-270	
Kale	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	H	50-75	
Kohlrabi		X	X							X	X		H	70-80	50-55
Lettuce ^(seed)	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	H	50-90	40-70
Mustard	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	H	40-60	
Okra			X	X	X	X	X	X					T	50-75	

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Onion, Bunching (plant onion bulbs called "sets")	X	X	X					X	X	X	X	X	H	50-75	30-40
Onion, Bulbing									X	X	X	X	SH	120-160	110-120
Pea, English (seed; climbing vine)	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	H	50-70	
Pea, Pigeon/Gandule (some types grow to large shrubs)				X	X								T	100-250	
Pea, Southern (seed)			X	X	X	X	X	X	X				T	60-90	
Pepper (seedling; need support)	X	X	X					X	X				T	80-100	60-80
Potatoes (potato pieces with eyes)	X	X											SH	85-110	
Potatoes, Sweet (plant whole potato or foliage cutting)		X	X	X	X	X							T		120-140
Pumpkin (difficult, need space)		X	X					X					H	90-120	80-110
Radish (seed)	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	H	20-30	
Spinach (seed)										X	X		H	45-60	
Spinach, Malabar (seed; climbing vine)					X	X	X	X						30-60	
Spinach, New Zealand			X	X									T	55-65	
Squash, Calabaza (seed; need LARGE space)			X	X	X	X	X	X					T	80-120	60-110
Squash, Winter (seed; need space)		X	X					X	X				T	40-55	35-40
Squash, Summer (seed)		X	X					X	X				T	80-110	70-90
Strawberry (plant seedlings in container)									X	X			H		90-110
Sunchoke (plant tuber pieces; 10 ft. tall)	X	X	X	X										~210	
Swiss Chard	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X	H	55-65	
Tomatoes (need support-keep plants off ground)	X	X	X						X				T	90-110	75-90
Turnip (seed)	X	X	X						X	X	X		H	40-60	
Watermelon (difficult; need space)	X	X	X					X					T	85-95	80-90
Yuca/Cassava (plant stem cuttings; may grow to lg. shrub) Boil before eating!			X										T	240-330	
T: Tender , will be damaged by light frost H: Hardy , can stand frost and usually some freezing without injury SH: Somewhat Hardy , not injured by light frost															



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