## **NC State Extension**

Garden Planting Calendar for Annual Vegetables, Fruits, and Herbs in North Carolina

Fruit, Herb, or Vegetable	Days to Harvest (from seed unless	Distance Between	J	an	Fo	eb	N	lar	A	pr	М	ay	J	un	J	ul	A	ug	S	ер	0	Oct	N	ov	De	ec
	otherwise noted)	Plants	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15
								Е	Ε	E																
Artichokes, globe	T = 1 year	30 in						P	P	P																
								W	W	W																
Artichokes, Jerusalem	T 0 0							Ε	Ε	Ε																
(Best grown in a pot because plants can	Tu = 6 - 8 months	9 – 12 in						P	P	P																
spread aggressively.)								W	W	W																
					E	E	E	E									E	E	E	E	Ε					
Arugula	40 – 50	6 – 9 in			P	P	P	P									P	P	P	P						
									W	W							W	W	W	W						
						Е	E	E																Ε	Ε	Ε
Asparagus	C = 2 years	18 in				P	P	P																P	P	P
								W	W	W	W															
	T 14 0E										E	E	E	E	E	E										
Basil	T = 14 - 35 S = 50 - 75	2 – 8 in									P	P	P	P	P	P										
												W	W	W	W	W										
										E	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε										
Beans, lima/bush	65 – 80	6 in								P	Р	P	P	P	P	P										
											W	W	W													
										E	E	E	E			E										
Beans, lima/pole	75 – 95	6 in								P	Р	P	P			P										
											W	W	W													

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	otherwise noted)	Plants	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15
								Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε				Ε	E	Ε	Ε	Ε					
Beans, snap/bush	50 – 55	2 in						P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P						
											W	W	W	W	W											
									Ε	E	E	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	E	Ε	Ε	E					
Beans, snap/pole	65 – 70	6 in							P	P	P	P	P	P	P	Р	P	P	P	P						
											W	W	W	W	W											
							E	Ε	Ε						_	Ε	E	Ε	Ε							
Beets	55 – 60	2 in					Р	P	P							P	Р	Р	P							
						_	_	_	W	W	W				W	W	_		_							
						E	E	E	E						_		E	E	E							
Broccoli	T = 70 - 80	18 in				Р	Р	P	P	10/	10/	10/				\A/	P	Р	P							
										W	W	W			-	W	W	_								
Deviacale approvite	T = 40 - 50	14 – 18 in													E	E	E	E								
Brussels sprouts	S = 90 - 100*	14 – 18 111													P W	P W	Р	P								
					E	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε						VV	E	Ε	E	Е							
Cabbage	T = 63 - 75	12 in			P	P	P	P	P							P	P	Р	P							
Cabbage	S = 90 - 120*	12 111					W	W	W						W	W	W	•	•							
							VV	E	·						VV	E	E			Е	E					
Cabbage, Chinese	T = 45 - 55	12 in						P									P	Р		P	P					
Sassago, omnoo	S = 75 – 85							•	W	W							W	W		-						
					Е	Ε	Е	Е						Е	Е	Е	E	Е	Е							
Carrots	75 – 80	2 in			Р	Р	Р	Р						Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р							
							W	W	W	W	W	W				W	W									

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	otherwise noted)	Plants	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15
	T FF 0F					Ε	Ε	E	E								Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε					
Cauliflower	T = 55 - 65 S = 85 - 95	18 in				P	P	P	P								P	P	P	P						
									W	W						W	W									
	T = 60 - 70					E	Ε	E						E	E	E	Ε									
Celery	S = 120 - 70	6 – 8 in				P	P	P						P	P	P	P									
										W	W	W	W	W												
	T= 32 - 42						E	E	E	Ε							E	E	Ε							
Chard, Swiss	S = 60 - 70	6 in					P	P	P	P							P	P	P							
								W	W	W																
					Ε	Ε	Ε	E												Ε	E					
Cilantro	50 – 55	2 – 4 in			P	P	P	P												P						
									W	W	W	W	W	W												
	T= 32 – 72					E	Ε	E	E	E	Ε	E	E	Ε		Е	E	E	E							
Collard greens	S = 60 - 100	18 in				P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P		P	P	P	P							
									W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W									
								Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε														
Corn, sweet	85 – 90	12 in						P	P	P	P	P														
										W	W	W	W	W												
	T= 28 – 37									E	Ε	E	Ε	Ε	E	E	Ε									
Cucumbers	S = 56 - 65	12 in								P	P	Р	Р	P	P	P	Р									
												W	W	W	W	W										
								Ε									Е	Ε	Ε							
Dill	40 – 55	2 – 4 in						P									P	P	P							
									W	W	W	W					W	W								

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	otherwise noted)	Plants	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15
	T 00 05									Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε				Ε	Ε								
Eggplant	T = 90 - 95 S = 150 - 155*	24 in								P	P	P	P				P	P								
												W	W	W	W											
							E	E	Ε	E					E	Ε	E	Ε								
Florence fennel	60 – 90	6 – 12 in					P	P	P	P					P	P	P	P								
									W	W	W	W	W													
																				Ε	Ε	Ε	E	Ε		
Garlic	B = 180 - 210	4 – 6 in																		P	P	P	P	P		
																			W	W	W	W	W			
	T = 14 - 22					Ε	Ε	E	Ε	Ε	E	Ε	Ε	E			Ε	E	Ε	Ε	E					
Kale	S = 40 - 50	6 in				P	P	Р	P	P	P	P	P	P			P	P	P	P						
								W	W	W							W	W								
	T = 22 - 32					Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	E	E	E	Ε				E	Ε	Ε							
Kohlrabi	S = 50 - 60	4 in				P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	Р			P	Р	P							
									W	W	W	W	W			W	W									
	T = 50 - 80					E	Ε	Ε	E	E	E	Ε	Ε	Ε												
Leek	S = 120 - 150	4 in				P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P												
									W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W										
	T = 45 - 60				Е	E	Ε	Ε	Ε	E								E	E	E	Ε					
Lettuce, head	S = 70 - 85	10 in			P	P	P	P	P	P								P	P	P	P					
								W	W	W						W	W	W								
	T = 15 – 25				Ε	E	Ε	E	Ε	E							Ε	Ε	E	E	E					
Lettuce, leaf	S = 40 - 50	6 in			P	P	P	P	P	P							P	P	P	P						
								W	W							W	W	W								

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	otherwise noted)	Plants	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15
	T = 57 – 62									Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	E											
Melons, cantaloupe	S = 85 - 90	24 in								P	P	P	Р	Р												
												W	W	W	W											
	T = 62 - 72									E	E	E	E	E												
Melons, watermelon	S = 90 - 100	60 in								Р	P	P	P	P												
						Ε	Ε	Е	E	Ε	-	W	W	W E			E	Ε	Е	Ε	E					
Mustard	30 – 40	2 in				P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P			P	P	E P	P						
iviustatu	30 – 40	2 111				r	Г	W	W	W	W	W	W	W		W	W	W	W							
								VV	VV	VV	E	E	VV	, vv		VV	E	E	VV							
Okra	T = 18 – 28	12 in									Р	Р					Р	Р								
	S = 60 - 70											W	W	W	W	W										
			Ε	Ε	E	E	Ε	Ε									Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	E	Ε
Onions, bulb	B = 75 - 105 S = 90 - 120	4 in	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р									Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р
	3 – 30 – 120					W	W	W									W	W								
	T 40 F0				E	E	E	E										E	E							
Onions, green	T = 42 - 50 S = 60 - 70	1 – 2 in			P	P	P	P										P	P							
						W	W	W	W									W	W	W						
	T = 30 - 75							E										E	E	E						
Pac choi, bok choy	S = 45 - 90*	7 – 12 in						P										P	P	P						
							_	W										W	W	W						
Develor	T = 33	0 10:				E	E	E	E								E	E	E	E	E					
Parsley	S = 75	9 – 12 in				P	P	P	P	VAL	10/	VA/			VAL	VAZ	P	Р	P	P						
									W	W	W	W			W	W	W									

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3	otherwise noted)	Plants	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15
						E	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε						Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε	Ε					
Parsnips	100 – 130	3 – 4 in				P	P	P	P	P	P						P	P	P	P						
									W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W									
											E	Ε														
Peanuts	145 – 160	6 – 8 in									P	P														
											W	W														
			Ε	E	E	E	E	Ε									Ε	Е	E	E	E					
Peas, dwarf/bush	54 – 60	4 in	P	P	P	P	P	P	P								P	P	P	P						
						W	W	W	W																	
			Ε	Ε	E	E	E	Ε									Ε	Ε	E	E						
Peas, vining	54 – 72	2 – 3 in	P	P	P	P	P	P	P								P	P	P	P						
						W	W	W	W																	
								E	Ε	E	E	E	Ε	E			Ε	Ε								
Peas, field/southern	55 – 65	4 in						P	P	P	P	P	Р	P			P	P								
											W	W	W	W												
	T = 75 - 80									E	E	E	E				Ε									
Peppers	S = 145 - 150*	18 in								P	P	P	Р				P									
												W	W	W												
						E	E	E																		
Potatoes, Irish	Tu = 95 - 120	10 in				P	P	P																		
								W	W																	
											E	E	Ε	E	E											
Potatoes, sweet	T = 95 – 125	10 in									P	P	Р	P	P											
													W	W												

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										E	Ε	Ε	E	Ε	Ε											
Pumpkin	115 – 120	48 in								P	P	P	P	P	P											
												W	W	W												
					E	E	Ε	E	E	Ε	Ε	E	Ε	Ε			E	Ε	Ε							
Radishes	20 – 25	1 in			P	P	Р	P	P	P	P	P	P	P			P	P	P							
							W	W	W	W							W	W								
					Ε	E	Ε	E	Ε						E	E	E	E	Ε	Ε	E					
Rutabaga	70 – 80	4 in			P	P	P	P	P						P	P	P	Р	P	P						
							W	W	W							W	W									
						E	Ε	E	E	Ε	Ε	E	Ε	Ε			E	E	Ε	Ε	Ε					
Spinach	50 – 60	6 in				P	Р	P	P	Р	Р	P	P	P			P	P	P	P	P					
							W	W	W	W	W	W					W	W								
	T = 30 - 40								Е	Ε	Ε	E	E	Ε	E	E	E									
Squash, summer	S = 50 - 60	24 in							P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P									
												W	W	W	W	W										
	T = 42 - 67									E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E									
Squash, winter	S = 70 - 95	36 in								P	P	Р	P	Р	Р	P	P									
												W	W	W												
								E	E	E	E															
Sunflower	55 – 110	9 – 24 in						P	Р	Р	Р															
								W	W	W	W															
	T = 75 – 85									E	E	E	E	E	E		E									
Tomatoes	S = 125 – 135*	18 in								Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р		P									
											W	W	W	W												

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	otherwise noted)	Fidiles	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	15
					Ε	Е	E	Ε	Ε	Ε	E	ш	Е	Ε			Ш	ш	Ш							
Turnips	55 – 60	2 in			P	P	P	P	P	P	P	Р	P	P			P	P	P							
							W	W	W	W						W	W		·							

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