

Monthly Zone 6b Planting Calendar

Month	Vegetables	Fruits	Flowers	Herbs	Perennials
February	Start tomato and pepper seeds indoors	N/A	Start pansies indoors	Start basil, oregano indoors	Start asparagus, rhubarb indoors
March	Direct sow spinach, peas, radishes	Plant strawberries (bare root)	Start snapdragons indoors	Direct sow parsley, cilantro	Transplant asparagus, rhubarb outdoors
April	Plant potatoes, onions, lettuce	Start blueberries and blackberries	Start marigolds indoors, plant pansies	Transplant oregano, thyme	Transplant hostas, daylilies
May	Transplant tomatoes, peppers, beans	Plant apple and pear trees	Plant petunias, zinnias	Plant mint, sage	Plant peonies, coneflowers
June	Direct sow squash, cucumbers, corn	Plant grapevines, hardy kiwi	Direct sow sunflowers, cosmos	Direct sow dill, fennel	Plant lavender, roses
July	Start fall crops: broccoli, cauliflower	N/A	Direct sow daisies, sunflowers	Plant chives, lemon balm	Plant ornamental grasses, irises
August	Plant fall carrots, beets, kale	N/A	Direct sow asters, chrysanthemums	Start rosemary indoors	Divide and transplant hostas, lilies
September	Plant spinach, lettuce for fall harvest	N/A	Plant mums, autumn crocus	Plant sage, lavender	Plant sedum, phlox
October	Plant garlic and onions for next year	Plant fig trees, hardy kiwi	Plant spring bulbs: tulips, daffodils	Plant thyme, winter savory	Plant crocus, columbine
November	Mulch and protect fall crops like kale	Mulch and protect fruit trees	Mulch roses, lavender	N/A	Mulch peonies, daylilies
December	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Protect perennials with mulch