

Indoor Seed Starting Guide

| Vegetables | Weeks indoors | Start indoor date |
|------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Basil | 6 | 4/3 |
| Beets* | 4 - 6 | 4/3 |
| Pak Choi* | 2 - 4 | 4/10 |
| Broccoli* | 4 - 6 | 3/27 |
| Brussel Sprouts* | 4 - 6 | 4/27 |
| Cabbage* | 4 - 6 | 3/27 |
| Cauliflower* | 4 - 6 | 3/27 |
| Celery* | 10-12 | 2/20 |
| Chives | 4-6 | 4/10 |
| Cilantro | 3 - 4 | 4/17 |
| Collards* | 4 - 6 | 3/27 |
| Cucumber | 3 | 4/24 |
| Eggplant | 8 - 10 | 3/20 |
| Fennel | 4-6 | 4/10 |
| Gourds | 2-3 | 5/1 |
| Kale* | 4 - 6 | 3/27 |
| Kohlrabi* | 4 - 6 | 3/27 |
| Leeks* | 8- 10 | 3/6 |
| Lettuce* | 4 - 5 | 4/3 |
| Okra | 4 - 6 | 4/10 |
| Onions* | 8 -10 | 3/6 |
| Oregano | 8 -10 | 3/20 |
| Parley | 9-10 | 3/13 |
| Peppers | 10-Aug | 3/20 |
| Pumpkins | 3-4 | 4/24 |
| Radicchio* | 4-6 | 4/10 |
| Rosemary | 10-12 | 3/6 |
| Sage | 6-8 | 4/3 |
| Spinach | 4-6 | 4/3 |
| Squash Summer | 2-3 | 4/24 |
| Squash Winter | 3- 4 | 4/24 |
| Swiss Chard* | 4 - 6 | 4/10 |
| Thyme | 8-10 | 3/13 |
| Tomatillo | 4-5 | 4/17 |
| Tomatoes | 5 | 4/10 |
| Watermelon | 3 | 4/24 |

| Flowers | Weeks indoors | Start indoor date |
|-----------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Ageratum | 5 | 4/10 |
| Alyssum* | 4-6 | 3/27 |
| Amaranthus | 4-6 | 4/10 |
| Black-Eyed Susan Vine | 5-7 | 4/3 |
| Calendula | 4-6 | 4/10 |
| Celosia | 4 | 4/17 |
| Cleome | 4 | 4/3 |
| Coleus | 10 | 3/6 |
| Columbine* | 10-12 | 2/20 |
| Cosmos | 5-7 | 4/10 |
| Craspedia | 6-8 | 3/27 |
| Dahlia | 6-8 | 3/27 |
| Delphinium* | 10-16 | 3/6 |
| Dianthus* | 6-8 | 3/20 |
| Digitalis* | 10-12 | 3/6 |
| Echinacea* | 10-12 | 2/20 |
| Forget-Me-Not* | 3-4 | 4/17 |
| Four O'Clock | 4-6 | 4/10 |
| Gazania | 6-8 | 3/27 |
| Globe Amaranth | 4-6 | 4/10 |
| Gomphrena | 5 | 4/10 |
| Hollyhock | 6-8 | 3/27 |
| Impatiens | 6 | 4/3 |
| Kale - Ornamental | 4-6 | 4/10 |
| Lupine* | 6-8 | 3/13 |
| Marigolds | 4 | 4/17 |
| Nasturtium | 4-6 | 4/10 |
| Pansy* | 8-10 | 2/27 |
| Penstemon* | 6-8 | 3/27 |
| Poppy - English | 6-8 | 3/27 |
| Rudbeckia* | 8-10 | 3/20 |
| Salvia - Perennial* | 8-10 | 2/27 |
| Snapdragon* | 8-10 | 3/6 |
| Strawflower | 6-8 | 4/3 |
| Sunflowers | 2-3 | 4/24 |
| Tithonia | 4 | 4/17 |
| Viola* | 8-10 | 2/27 |
| Zinnia | 2-3 | 4/24 |

*Can be planted outdoors around May 1 or earlier depending on the spring weather. All others should be planted outdoors after May 15 when temps are warmer.



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