

A checklist for Your New Vegie garden bed



Here's what you need to get growing today



Vegie Mix – for raised beds, new garden beds, topping up small volumes in existing gardens, **Large pots** (eg. Half wine barrel planters).

Potting Mix – for smaller containers, and vegie grow bags.

Vegie Concentrate – for adding into existing soil at a 50/50 ratio before planting, or for topping up existing beds with fresh nutrition and organic matter.

Sand Remedy

For existing beds that are water repellent.

Dig through soil to a depth of 10 - 20cms

before planting.

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Seedlings

Choose healthy, seasonal vegies from our range. Heritage, non-hybrid seeds available.

Mulch

Light, coarse mulches are the best.

We recommend straw, pea straw, Lucerne or lupin mulch.

Spread around established seedlings in early summer to protect soil and conserve moisture.

Root Barrier

The No.1 problem that plagues home vegie gardeners is tree and shrub root competition.

Fertiliser

Liquid feed highly productive gardens with Fish Hydrolysate or Kelp fertiliser approx. every two weeks during their peak production. This is most important with leafy greens like lettuce, spinach, silverbeet, salad greens, leafy herbs [eg basil] etc.)

Shadecloth

White Horticultural Grade 50% or 70%, still allows light for photosynthisis but protects vegies during the height of summer.

😯 Minerals & Fertilsers

Blood & Bone, Multigrow Pellets, Rock Dust. Use organic, slow release fertilisers to boost soil fertility.

Pest Control

Natural pest control products for snails, caterpillars, aphids and a range of other seasonal insect pests.

Planter Bags or Pots

Perfect for small spaces and to maximise seasonal growing. Planter bags hold one 25L potting mix of soil.

Seed Raising Mix

For raising your own seedlings. Download our 'When to Sow Chart'.



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