



PLANTING CALENDAR

Across New Zealand there are differences in climate and soils. Use this handy planting calendar as a guide to planting common fruit and veges. For a full planting calendar by region and month, discover the interactive planting calendar tool on our website: www.tuigarden.co.nz/planting-calendar



Key:
 = Northern
 = Middle
 = Southern



VEGETABLE / FRUIT	WHEN TO PLANT												Time to harvest*
	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	
Apple													2-4 years
Asparagus													2 years
Basil													40-60 days
Beetroot													90-120 days
Blueberry													60-90 days from flower
Blackberry													1 year
Bok choy													20-45 days
Broad bean													85-110 days
Broccoli													60-120 days
Capsicum													80-100 days
Carrot													50-65 days
Cauliflower													90-120 days
Celery													80-85 days
Coriander													30-45 days
Courgette													60-85 days
Cucumber													60-80 days
Eggplant													85-110 days
Feijoa													2-3 years
Garlic													170 days
Kale													60-70 days
Lemon													2-4 years
Lettuce													40-70 days
Lime													2-4 years
Mandarin													2-4 years
Mesclun													40-60 days
Onion													70-180 days
Orange													2-4 years
Parsley													45-85 days
Passionfruit													12-18 months
Pea													45-70 days
Pear													2-4 years
Potato													90-160 days
Pumpkin & squash													110-170 days
Radish													30-40 days
Raspberry													1 year
Rocket													30-40 days
Silverbeet													40-60 days
Spinach													30-40 days
Spring onion													60-70 days
Strawberry													140-160 days
Sweetcorn													98-112 days
Tomato													60-85 days

*Harvest times are a guide only and may vary.

01 PREPARE

The better the soil, the better your plants will grow. If you are starting with an existing garden bed dig in organic matter like **Tui Sheep Pellets** and **Tui Compost** to your soil.

02 PLANT

Plant in a planting mix specifically designed for what you are planting like **Tui Vegetable Mix** for veges. Check seed packets or plant labels for individual planting instructions. The best times to plant are early in the morning or late in the day, so the plants aren't exposed to the hot sun straight away.

03 NOURISH

Feed your plants and they will feed you. Plants use nutrients from the soil as they grow, so replenishing the nutrients ensures your plants grow and flourish to their full potential. Select a fertiliser specially blended for your crop like **Tui Vegetable Food** or use an all purpose variety, such as **Tui NovaTec Premium** fertiliser.

