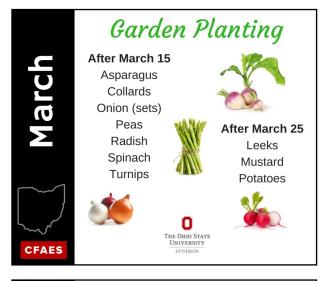
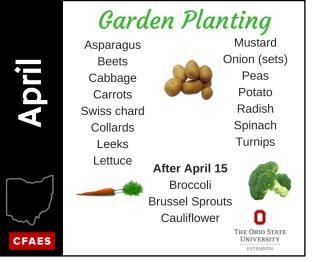


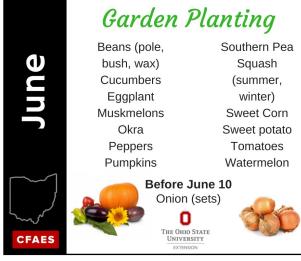
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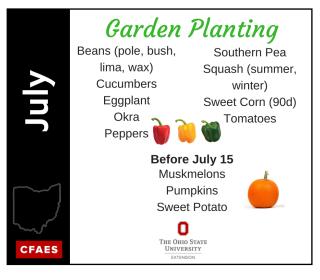
- Planting dates are based on Zone 6a. Spring planting dates should be adjusted 1 week earlier for Zone 6b and 2 weeks earlier for Zone 7a.
- Soil temperature is more important than air temperature when planting seeds. Cool season vegetables require soil temperatures above 55°. Warm season vegetables require soil temperatures above 75°. Warmer soils speed germination.
- Most vegetables can be planted starting July—September for a fall garden. Check varieties for the number of growing days needed for a crop and compare with first frost date in order to make sure that there are enough growing days remaining.
- ♦ Cool season vegetables can stand light frost and may continue growing until a hard freeze.
- ♦ Vegetables to be transplanted in the spring should be started indoors approximately 4 weeks prior to planting date on calendar.
- ♦ Cool Season vegetables are generally those in which the plant is eaten (i.e. leaves, stems and roots). Sweet peas are also included.
- Warm Season vegetables are generally those in which the fruit of the plant is eaten (i.e. tomatoes, peppers, corn, etc.)
- ♦ Cover crops can be planted as soon as the garden is finished in September or October
- Additional gardening information can be found at <u>u.osu.edu/ohiovictorygardens</u>

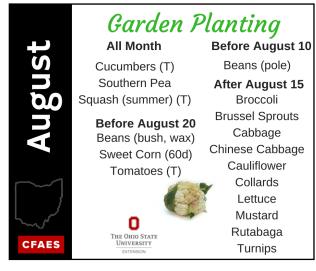




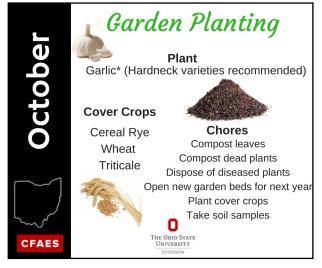


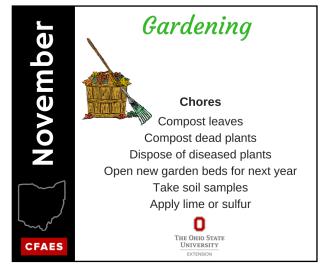












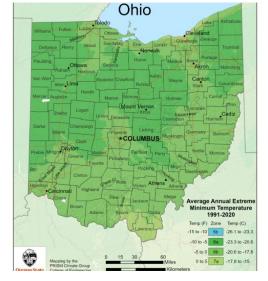
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Average Last Spring Frost

Zone 6a: May 5—May 15



Zone 6b: April 25—May 5



Zone 7a: April 15—April 25



Average First Fall Frost

Zone 6a: Oct. 5—Oct. 15



Zone 6b: Oct. 5—Oct.15



Zone 7a: Oct.15—Oct.25