

# **Fort Erie Public Library Seed Library**



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**Carrot: Scarlet Nantes**

68 days to harvest.

Roots are sweet, tender, and crisp. Ideal for freezing. Bright orange in colour. Nearly coreless. Rich loose soil is best. Uniform soil moisture is critical.

Plant after last frost in well-cultivated soil.

Seed Spacing:

Plant Spacing: OSC recommends that seeds are planted 7-15 mm deep in rows spaced 45-60 cm apart.

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to germination: 10-14

**Cucumber – Beit Alpha Burpless**

55 days to harvest

Resistant to downy mildew, powdery mildew, and cucumber mosaic virus. Plant near beans, peas, tomatoes, cabbage, and lettuce.

Plant directly in the garden after last frost

Plant Spacing: 30 cm (12”) apart.

Lighting: Full Sun

Day to Germination: 8-10

**Cucumber – Earliest Mincu**

50 days to harvest.

Plant with beans, peas, tomatoes, cabbage, and lettuce.

Plant directly in the garden after last frost.

Plant Spacing: Plant roughly 10 cm (4”) apart in rows that are 120 cm (48”) apart.

Light Required: Full Sun

Days to germination – 8-10 days.

### **Cucumber – Early Russian**

50-70 days to harvest.

Grows well on a trellis for easier picking. Soil must be fertile and rich in compost.

Plant directly in the garden after last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow cucumber seeds roughly 10 cm (4”) apart in rows, keeping rows approximately 120 cm (48”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 30 cm (12”)

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to germination – 8-10

### **Cucumber – English Long Telegraph**

50-70 days to harvest.

Cut cucumbers when young for the best flavor and encourage further cropping. Plant near beans, peas, tomatoes, cabbage, and lettuce.

Plant directly into the garden after the last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow cucumber seeds roughly 10 cm (4”) apart in rows, keeping rows approximately 120 cm (48”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 30 cm (12”)

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to Germination: 8-10

### **Cucumber – Homemade Pickles**

55 days to harvest

Compact bush-type vines are ideal for container gardens and small spaces.

Plant directly into the garden after the last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow cucumber seeds roughly 10 cm (4”) apart in rows, keeping rows approximately 120 cm (48”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 30 cm (12”)

Light required: Full Sun

Days to Germination: 8-10

### **Cucumber – Improved Long Green**

50-70 days to harvest.

May be started indoors but roots should not be disturbed when transplanting. Plant near beans, peas, tomatoes, cabbage, and lettuce.

Plant directly into the garden after the last frost.

Spacing: 30 cm (12”).

Light required: full sun

Days to germination: 8- 10

### **Cucumber – National Pickling**

55 days to harvest

Resistant to cucumber mosaic and scab. Great pickling variety. Plant near beans, peas, tomatoes, cabbage, and lettuce.

Plant directly in the garden after the last frost.

Plant Spacing: 30 cm (12”)

Lighting: full sun

Days to germination – 8-10 days

### **Cucumber – Straight Eight**

60 days to harvest.

Plant with beans, peas, tomatoes, cabbage, and lettuce.

Plant directly in the garden after the last frost.

Days to germination: 8 - 10

### **Cucumber – Spring Burpless**

55 days to harvest.

Length is 20-30 cm (8-12") that grows straight when staked or curly if left to grow on the ground. Disease resistant.

Plant directly in the garden after the last frost.

Seed Spacing: roughly 10 cm (4") apart in rows, keeping rows approximately 120 cm or (48") apart.

Plant Spacing: 30 cm (12") apart.

Light Required: full sun

8-10 days to germination.

### **Eggplant – Black Beauty**

80 days to harvest after transplanting into the garden.

Compact plants grow 50-75 cm (20-30") tall and can produce 12 fruit per plant.

Seed Spacing: sow eggplant seeds roughly 5 cm (2") apart in rows, keeping rows 60 cm (24") apart.

Plant spacing: 45 cm (18")

Light Required: full sun

Days to germination: 7-14

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

### **Kale – Dwarf Green Curled**

60-75 days to harvest.

Cool weather crop that likes rich, well-drained, moisture retaining soil. Tastiest after a light frost. Slow to bolt.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow kale seeds roughly 1.3 cm (1/2 in.) apart in rows, keeping rows approximately 60 cm (24 in.) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60 cm (14").

Light: full sun/partial shade

Days to germination: 10-14 days.

### **Kale – Siberian**

50 days to harvest.

Hardy and fast growing. Harvest baby leaves in 25 days.

Seed Spacing: sow seeds roughly 1.3 cm (0.5”) apart rows, keeping rows approximately 60 cm (24”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60 cm (24”)

Light: full sun/partial shade

Days to germination: 10-14 days

### **Kohl rabi – Early White Vienna**

55-60 days to harvest.

For peak flavor and tenderness, harvest when bulbs are about 5 cm (2”) in diameter. Do not plant with strawberries, tomatoes, or pole beans.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Seed Spacing: sow kohlrabi seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) in rows, keeping rows approximately 45 cm or 18 inches apart.

Plant Spacing: 15 cm (6”)

Light: Full Sun

Days to germination – 7-10

### **Leek – Monstrous Carentan**

110-120 days to harvest.

Plant outdoors in a trench 15 cm (6”) deep and 15 cm (6”) across. Gradually fill the trench as plants grow, surrounding the stems with soil.

Start indoors 8-10 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: sow roughly 5 cm (2") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm (18") apart.

Plant Spacing: 15 cm or 6 inches.

Light: full sun

Days to Germination: 10-14

### **Lettuce – Buttercrunch**

60-70 days to harvest.

Slow to bolt. The most heat tolerant and largest of the Butterhead types. Pick baby leaves at just 28 days. Cool weather crop.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 4-5 weeks before the last frost.

Seed Spacing: sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm (18") apart.

Plant Spacing 20 cm (8")

Days to germination: 7-10

### **Lettuce – Cos or Romaine**

65-85 days to harvest.

Thrives in cool weather.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 4-5 weeks before the last frost.

Plant Spacing: shallow rows 13 mm or (0.5") and 45 cm or (18") apart.

Light: full sun/part sun

Days to germination: 7-10 days.

### **Lettuce – Early Curled Simpson**

45 days to harvest.

Thrives in cool weather. Leaf lettuce withstands hot weather better than other lettuce types.

Plant directly in the garden after last frost.

Plant Depth: 1.3 cm (0.5")

Plant Spacing: 20 cm (8").

Light: Full Sun/Part Sun

Days to germination: 7-10

### **Lettuce – Early Great Lakes**

65-85 days to harvest.

Plant in moist, well-drained soil as soon as the ground can be worked in the spring. Thrives in cool weather.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 4-5 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm or (18”) apart.

Days to germination: 7-10

### **Lettuce – Grand Rapids**

45 days to harvest.

Earliest to bear and fast to grow. Slow to bolt. Thrives in cool weather.

Plant directly in the garden after last frost.

Plant spacing: sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm (18”) apart.

Seed Spacing: 20 cm (8”).

Light: full/part sun

Days to germination: 7-10

### **Lettuce – Prizehead**

45-55 days to harvest.

Thrives in cool weather. Leaves stay crisp and tender with a buttery flavour. Resists mosaic virus.

Plant directly into the garden after the last frost.

Seed Spacing: sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart, keeping rows approx. 45 cm or (18”) apart.

Plant spacing: 20 cm (18”)

Lighting: Full or part sun

Days to Germination – 7-10

### **Lettuce – Red Salad Bowl**

50 days to harvest.

Great for containers. Plant directly into the garden after the last frost.

Seed Spacing: sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm or (18”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 20 cm (8”).

Lighting: Full sun/part sun.

Days to Germination: 7-10

### **Mesclun**

45-75 days to harvest.

Requires plenty of moisture.

Plant directly into the garden after the last frost.

Seed spacing: Sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm (18”) apart.

Lighting: Full/part sun

Days to Germination: 7-10

### **Onion – Annual Bunching**

60-75 days to harvest

Fertile, well-drained, non-crusting soil is best. Hilling soil well up around the plants encourages the development of longer white stalks.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 8-10 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds 2.5 cm or (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 30 cm or (12”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 5 cm (2”)

Lighting: Full sun

Days to germination: 12-14

### **Parsnip – Hollow Crown**

120 days to harvest.

30 cm (12”) long with 5 cm (2”) crown. Heavy yielder. Frost enhances the sweet, delicate nut-like flavour.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 1.3 cm (0.5”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm or (18”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 8 cm (3”)

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to germination: 21-28

### **Pea – Cascadia Sugar Snap**

65 days to harvest

Use at edible pod stage as a shelling pea. Very sweet. Remains succulent. Good yields. Non-staking type.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 75 cm (30”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 10 cm (4”).

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to germination: 5-10

### **Pea – Edible Podded Snow**

58-68 days to harvest

Pick when peas are flat and tender, about 8 cm long. Plants will need some support. Plant height = 75 cm (30")

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 75 cm (30") apart.

Plant Spacing; 10 cm (4").

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to Germination: 5-10

### **Pea – Green Arrow**

58-63 days to harvest

Vines are very vigorous and disease resistant and will require some support. Try successive sowings every two weeks until mid-June to extend the harvest season.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keep rows approx. 75 cm (30") apart.

Plant Spacing: 10 cm (4 inches)

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to Germination: 5-10 days to germination

### **Pea – Mr. Big**

58 days to harvest.

The large, strong vines 90-120 cm (3-4') don't need any support. However, a trellis may be used to keep the pods from touching the ground, making them easier to pick.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Plant Depth: 2.5 cm (1")

Plant Spacing: 10 cm (4")

Lighting: Full Sun/Partial Shade

Days to germination: 5-10

**Pea – Cascadia Sugar Snap**

65 days to harvest

Use at edible pod stage as a shelling pea. Very sweet. Remains succulent. Good yields. Non-staking type.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 75 cm (30”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 10 cm (4”).

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to germination: 5-10

**Pea – Sugar Snap Edible Pod**

70-75 days to harvest.

The vines provide an abundance of edible 8 cm or 3” pods. Support with netting or a trellis. Try successive sowings every two weeks until mid-June to extend harvest season. Plant height: 2 m or 6”.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 75 cm (30”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 10 cm or 4 inches.

Daylight: Full Sun/Partial Shade

Days to germination: 5-10

**Pea – Sugar Sprint (Edible Pod)**

58-62 days to harvest.

A bush type that is wilt resistant. Can be grown in small spaces or containers. Plant height: 65 cm or 26”.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Plant Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1 inch) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 75 cm or (30 inches) apart.

Seed Spacing: 10 cm (4 inches).

Lighting: Full Sun/Partial Shade

Days to germination: 5-10

### **Pepper – Early California Wonder**

75 days to harvest before transplanting into the garden.

Grows to 10 X10 cm or 4”x4”. Should be planted where they will be sheltered from the wind and soil should be kept evenly moist.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 5 cm (2 inches) apart, keeping rows approx. 60 cm (24 inches) apart.

Plant Spacing: 45 cm (18 inches)

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to germination: 7-14

### **Pepper – Hungarian Yellow Hot Wax**

65-70 days to harvest after transplanting to garden.

The wax peppers are orange-red when ripe but are usually harvested white yellow.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 5 cm (2 inches) apart in rows, keeping rows 60 cm (24 inches) apart.

Plant Spacing: 45 cm or 18 inches.

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to germination: 7-14

### **Pepper – Mini Bell Mix**

70-90 days to harvest after transplanting into the garden.

Ripen from green to chocolate to red or to yellow depending on the variety. Plant height: 40 cm or 16”.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow pepper seeds roughly 5 cm (2”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 60 cm (24”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 45 cm (18”)

Light: Full Sun

Days to germinate: 7-14

### **Pepper – Red Bell**

95-110 days to harvest after transplanting into garden.

Produces fruit 8x10 cm or 3”x4” in size.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 5 cm (2 inches) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 60 cm (24 inches) apart.

Plant Spacing:

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to germination: 7-14

### **Pepper – Super Chill Hybrid**

75-85 days to harvest after transplanting into the garden.

Not uncommon to yield over 200 peppers per plant.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 5 cm (2 inches) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 60 cm (24 inches) apart.

Plant Spacing: 45 cm (18 inches)

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to germination: 7-14

### **Pumpkin – Dill's Atlantic Giant**

125 days to harvest.

Can grow to 100-500 lbs. When the fruit sets, prune the fruit until only one or two are left. Water frequently and add fertilizer occasionally to aid its growth.

For large fruit, start indoors 3-4 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: 2-3 per hill.

Plant Spacing: 1 per hill, spaced 4.5-6 m (15-20 feet) apart.

Lighting: Full Sun

Days to Germinate: 10-20

### **Pumpkin – Jack O’Lantern**

110 days to harvest.

The average weight is 4.5 kg or 10 lbs. From late summer on, remove any blossoms or new fruit to enhance growth on fruit that is already formed. Harvest when fully matured. Cut off the vine, leaving a portion of the stem attached for a handle.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 3-4 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow seeds roughly 2-3 per hill apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 1.5-1.8 m (5-6 inches) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36 inches).

Lighting: Full sun

Days to germination: 8-10

### **Pumpkin- Small Sugar**

110 days to harvest

For an earlier crop, start indoors 3-4 weeks before the last frost.

Average weight of 3 kg or 7 lbs and 18-23 cm or 7-10" in diameter. Small seed cavity enclosed in orange, fine textured flesh. Fruit stores well.

Seed Spacing: Sow pumpkin seeds roughly 2-3 per hill apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 1.5-1.8 m (5-6") apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination: 8-10

### **Radish – Cherry Belle**

20-25 days to harvest.

Cool weather crop. Make several plantings, 10 days apart until the weather becomes warm. May be sown again when weather cools, for a fall crop.

Plant in early spring in well-cultivated soil.

Seed Spacing: Sow radish seeds roughly 1.3 cm ( ½") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 30 cm (12") apart.

Plant Spacing: 5 cm (2")

Days to germinate: 4-7

### **Radish – Crimson Giant Champion**

20-30 days to harvest.

Make several plantings, 10 days apart, until the weather becomes warm. May be sown again when the weather cools for a fall crop.

Seed Spacing: Sow radish seeds roughly 1.3 cm (½ ") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 30 cm (12") apart.

Plant Spacing: 5 cm (2")

Days to germination: 4-7

Plant in early spring in well-cultivated soil.

### **Radish – French Breakfast**

20-30 days to harvest.

Plant in early spring in well-cultivated soil.

Cool weather crop. Make several plantings, 10 days apart until the weather becomes warm. May be sown again when the weather cools, for a fall crop.

Seed Spacing: Sow radish seeds roughly 1.3 cm ( .5") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 30 cm (12") apart.

Plant Spacing: Plant 5 cm (2") apart

Days to germination: 4-7

### **Radish – German Giant**

29 days to harvest.

Plant in early spring in well-cultivated soil.

Despite their size, they do not get woody or spongy. They produce a crisp white flesh. Cool weather crop. Make several plantings, 10 days apart until the weather becomes warm. Maybe sown again when the weather cools, for a fall crop.

Seed Spacing: Sow radish seeds roughly 1.3 cm (½ ") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 30 cm (12") apart.

Plant Spacing: 5 cm (2")

Days to germination: 4-7

### **Radish – Scarlet Globe**

20-25 days to harvest.

Plant in early spring in well-cultivated soil.

Medium sized 2.5 cm or 1". Cool weather crop. Make several plantings, 10 days apart until the weather gets warm. May be sown again when weather cools for a fall crop.

Seed Spacing: Sow radish seeds roughly 1.3 cm (½ ") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 30 cm (12") apart.

Plant Spacing: 5 cm (2")

Days to germination: 4-7

### **Radish – Sparkler White Tip**

25 days to harvest.

Plant in early spring in well-cultivated soil.

Nearly round 4.5 cm or 1 ¾" scarlet roots with white tips that give a pepper flavor. Make several plantings, 10 days apart until the weather becomes warm. May be sown again when the weather cools, for a fall crop.

Seed Spacing: Sow radish seeds roughly 1.3 cm (½ ") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 30 cm (12") apart.

Plant Spacing: 5 cm (2")

Days to germination: 4-7

### **Rutabaga – Swede Laurentian**

12.5-15 cm or 5-6" in diameter. Frost improves the flavor of this crop. Rutabaga stores well for use all winter.

Seed Spacing: Sow rutabaga seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm (18") apart.

Plant Spacing: 10 cm (4")

Days to germination: 8-12

Plant in early spring in well-cultivated soil.

### **Spinach – Bloomsdale Long Standing**

40-48 days to harvest.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Best growth occurs in spring and fall and be sure to do a second sowing in late summer for a fall crop. Requires plenty of moisture.

Days to germination: 7-21

### **Spinach – Giant Noble**

40-48 days to harvest.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Large spreading plants that produce huge, smooth, dark-green leaves that are slow to bolt. Giant Noble is an abundant producer.

Seed Spacing: Sow spinach seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 40 cm (16") apart.

Plant Spacing: 25 cm (10")

Days to germination: 7-21

### **Spinach – Imperial Star Hybrid**

35-40 days to harvest.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

The upright plant habit with strong sturdy leafstalk makes it easy to harvest. This cold-tolerant variety is resistant to bolting and downy mildew.

Seed Spacing: Sow spinach seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 40 cm (16”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 25 cm (10”)

Days to germination: 7-21

### **Spinach – King of Denmark**

40-60 days to harvest.

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Cool weather vegetable. Easy to grow in rich, well-drained soil. Best growth occurs in spring and fall. Make a second sowing in late summer for a fall crop. Requires plenty of moisture.

Days to germination: 7-21

### **Spinach – New Zealand**

40-70 days to harvest

Plant outdoors as soon as the soil can be worked.

Tolerant to heat and resistant to bolting, it does not typically turn bitter in hot weather. Flavor is better if plants have some shade from the sun. Soaking seeds in warm water overnight, before planting, can help improve germination.

Days to germination: 7-21

### **Squash – Buttercup**

90-100 days to harvest.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 3-4 weeks before the last frost.

Harvest after the first frost, or when the skin begins to turn orange when touching the soil. Generous watering is required if the weather is dry.

Seed Spacing: Sow 2-3 squash seeds per hill apart in rows, keeping approx. 1.5-1.8 m (5-6”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36”)

Days to germination: 5-12

### **Squash – Butternut**

85- 100 days to harvest.

Will grow to 12.5x30 cm or 5x12” in size. Requires generous watering in dry weather. Be careful of frost. Light frost is okay, but hard frosts reduce its keeping quality. Resistant to the squash bug.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 3-4 weeks before the last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow 2-3 squash seeds per hill apart in rows, keeping approx. 1.5-1.8 m (5-6") apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germinate: 5-12

### **Squash – Vegetable Spaghetti**

75-100 days to harvest

For an earlier crop, start indoors 3-4 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow 2-3 squash seeds per hill apart in rows, keeping approx. 1.5-1.8 m (5-6") apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination: 5-12

### **Swiss Chard – Bright Lights**

60 days to harvest

Plant directly into the garden after last frost.

Harvest can begin 4-5 weeks after planting for young salad greens. Pick young or mature leaves just above the soil line so that plants can grow back for multiple harvests.

Seed Spacing: Sow swiss chard seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm (18”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 25 cm (10”)

Days to germination: 7-10

### **Swiss Chard – Fordhook Giant**

50-60 days to harvest.

Plant directly into the garden after last frost.

Stems are broad, thick and white in colour. Both stalks and leaves are edible.

Seed Spacing: Sow swiss chard seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm (18") apart.

Plant Spacing: 25 cm (10")

7-10 days to germination.

### **Swiss Chard – Rhubarb**

50-65 days to harvest.

Plant directly into the garden after last frost.

Can be harvested all season long by cutting the outer leaves for use and allowing the inner leaves to continue growing

Seed Spacing: Sow swiss chard seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 45 cm (18") apart.

Plant Spacing: 25 cm (10")

Days to germinate: 7-10

### **Tomato – Beef Maestro Hybrid**

80 days to harvest after transplanting to garden

Resists cracking and splitting. Indeterminate staking required.

Seed Spacing: Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36") apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

7-14 days to germinate.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

### **Tomato – Beefsteak (Bush)**

65-80 days to harvest after transplanting into the garden.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Deep, well-drained, moisture retaining soil is best. Keep tomatoes away from all members of the Brassica family: cabbage, cauliflower, etc. Determinate – no staking required.

Seed Spacing: : Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination: 7-14

### **Tomato – Cherry Mix F1**

Contains a mix of:

yellow Honeybee F1 (determinate – no staking required 60 days to harvest after transplanting to garden)

red Ladybug F1 (indeterminate – staking required, 65 days to harvest after transplanting to garden)

Orange monarch F1 (indeterminate – staking required, 63 days to harvest after transplanting to garden)

Bears fruit that is 28 g or 1 oz and 2.5 cm or 1 inch in diameter.

Plant directly into the garden after last frost.

Seed Spacing: : Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination: 7-14

### **Tomato Cherry Roma**

75-80 days to harvest after transplanting to garden.

Indeterminate – staking required.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: : Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination – 7-14

### **Tomato – Early Girl Hybrid**

54 days to harvest after transplanting to garden.

One of the earliest producing tomatoes. Disease resistant. Indeterminate – staking required.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination – 7-14 days

### **Tomato Patio Choice Hybrid**

50-60 days to harvest after transplanting into the garden.

Can produce over 200 tomatoes on 60-75 cm vines. Great for hanging baskets.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Determinate – no staking required

Seed Spacing: : Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination 7-14 days

### **Tomato – Rutgers**

80-85 days to harvest after transplanting into the garden.

Indeterminate – staking required.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1”) apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36”) apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germinate: 7-14 days

### **Tomato – Sub Arctic Plenty**

40-50 days to harvest after transplanting into the garden.

Determinate no staking required.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36") apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

7-14 days to germinate.

### **Tomato – Tiny Tim**

45-55 days to harvest after transplanting into the garden.

Extremely early scarlet red, miniature cherry tomato. Deep well-drained soil is best. Determinate – no staking required.

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36") apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination: 7-14

### **Tomato – Yellow Pearshaped**

69 days to harvest after transplanting into the garden.

Vigorous vines bear profusely. Indeterminate staking required.

Start indoors 6-7 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: : Sow tomato seeds roughly 2.5 cm (1") apart in rows, keeping rows approx. 90 cm (36") apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination: 7-14

### **Zucchini – Dark Green**

52 days to harvest.

Prefers rich and well-drained soil. Generous watering is required if the weather is dry.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 3 to 4 weeks before last frost.

Seed Spacing: Sow 2-3 zucchini seeds per hill apart in rows, keeping approx. 1.5-1.8 m (5-6") apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination: 5-12 M

### **Zucchini – Gold Rush**

49 days to harvest.

For an earlier crop, start indoors 3-4 weeks before last frost.

Grows 18-20 cm or 7-8" in length. High yielding. For the best harvesting, pick fruits young.

Seed Spacing: Sow 2-3 zucchini seeds per hill apart in rows, keeping approx. 1.5-1.8 m (5-6") apart.

Plant Spacing: 60-90 cm (24-36")

Days to germination: 5-12.