



Baby's Breath Planting Guide

About Baby's Breath

A classic staple of any flower garden, Baby's Breath provides a charming and diminutive backdrop amongst other larger and bolder wild varieties. Baby's Breath is easy to grow and is showcased best when planted in abundance.

When to Plant

Directly sow your seeds after the soil has warmed to about 70 degrees F or start your seeds indoors 4-6 weeks before the last frost and transplant into your garden when the soil warms.

Where to Plant

Baby's Breath are deep-rooted, long-lived plants that require plenty of sun and space to spread. They can be grown in an east, west, or south facing aspect, in free-draining, rich soil. Baby's Breath prefers lime or chalk, but will thrive in most soils that are not acidic.

How to Plant

Press seeds into the soil, about 10-12" apart, being mindful not to cover as plants require sunlight to sprout. Keep soil moist until germination (about 10-15 days). If starting indoors, wait for soil to reach ideal temperatures and then transplant into your garden. For continuous blooms throughout the growing season, plant new seeds every 3-4 weeks.

Caring for Baby's Breath

Baby's Breath grows quickly and can tolerate some drought, but it grows best with regular watering as it develops and begins to bloom. After sowing your seeds, blooms should appear within about 4 weeks.