



## Daylily Planting Guide

### About Daylilies

Daylilies are known not only for their resistance to pests and disease, but also their easily recognizable and colorful flowers. Daylilies thrive in a variety of regions and tolerate many different soil conditions. They are carefree, quick growing, and long-lasting perennials.

### When to Plant

In the south, plant in early spring or late fall while temperatures are cool. Northern climates should plant in spring.

### Where to Plant

Daylilies require full sun, but can tolerate light shade in warmer zones as long as they receive at least 6 hours of full sunlight every day.

### How to Plant

Daylilies should be planted in relatively shallow holes. The size of the bulb will determine the size of the hole. The hole should be wide and deep enough to place the bulb without bending the roots. Plant with the eyes towards the surface. The top of the bulb should be close to one inch under the surface. Water the Daylilies immediately upon planting.

### Caring for Daylilies

Unless you are in an extremely dry climate, regular watering is unnecessary. Daylilies prefer a heavy watering once a week as opposed to a light daily watering.

Regularly weed the area around the plant to avoid root confusion when you go to transplant or separate your bulbs.

In late fall, trim dead leaves down to ground level and place mulch on top of the root system to protect from freezing winter temperatures.