

Edmonton Veggie and Herb Planting Dates 2021 - last frost around May 15

Crop	top line: Based on Frost Dates		bottom line: Based on Moon Dates
	Start Seeds Indoors	Plant Seedlings or Transplants	Start Seeds Outdoors
Thyme	Mar 5-Apr 3 Mar 13-28	May 15-Jun 5 May 15-26	N/A
Rosemary	Mar 5-20 Mar 13-20	May 22-Jun 12 May 22-26, Jun 10-12	N/A
Celery	Mar 5-20 Mar 13-20	May 22-Jun 5 May 22-26	N/A
Eggplants	Mar 5-20 Mar 13-20	May 29-Jun 12 Jun 10-12	N/A
Bell Peppers	Mar 5-20 Mar 13-20	May 22-Jun 5 May 22-26	N/A
Oregano	Mar 5-Apr 3 Mar 13-28	May 15-Jun 5 May 15-26	N/A
Sage	Mar 20-Apr 3 Mar 20-28	May 15-29 May 15-26	N/A
Kale	Mar 20-Apr 3 Mar 20-28	Apr 17-May 8 Apr 17-26	N/A
Radishes	N/A	N/A	Mar 20-Apr 10 Mar 29-Apr 10
Cauliflower	Mar 20-Apr 3 Mar 20-28	Apr 17-May 8 Apr 17-26	N/A
Tomatoes	Mar 20-Apr 3 Mar 20-28	May 22-Jun 12 May 22-26, Jun 10-12	N/A
Basil	Mar 20-Apr 3 Mar 20-28	May 15-Jun 5 May 15-26	N/A
Broccoli	Mar 20-Apr 3 Mar 20-28	Apr 17-May 8 Apr 17-26	N/A
Cabbage	Mar 20-Apr 3 Mar 20-28	Apr 17-May 1 Apr 17-26	N/A
Kohlrabi	Apr 3-17 Apr 11-17	Apr 24-May 1 Apr 24-26	N/A
Swiss Chard	Apr 3-17 Apr 11-17	Apr 24-May 1 Apr 24-26	N/A
Spinach	N/A	N/A	Apr 3-24 Apr 11-24
Peas	N/A	N/A	Apr 3-24 Apr 11-24
Lettuce	Apr 3-17 Apr 11-17	May 1-29 May 11-26	N/A
Carrots	N/A	N/A	Apr 10-24 10-Apr
Dill	N/A	N/A	Apr 10-24 Apr 11-24

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Sweet Potatoes	Apr 17-24	May 29-Jun 12 May 29-Jun 9	N/A
Cantaloupes	Apr 17-24 Apr 17-24	May 29-Jun 12 Jun 10-12	N/A
Turnips	N/A	N/A	Apr 17-May 8 Apr 27-May 8
Zucchini	Apr 17-May 1 Apr 17-26	May 29-Jun 12 Jun 10-12	N/A
Watermelons	Apr 17-24 Apr 17-24	May 29-Jun 12 Jun 10-12	N/A
Chives	N/A	N/A	Apr 17-24 Apr 17-24
Cucumbers	Apr 17-24 Apr 17-24	May 29-Jun 12 Jun 10-12	N/A
Parsley	N/A	N/A	Apr 17-May 1 Apr 17-26
Onions (sets)	N/A	N/A	Apr 17-May 8 Apr 27-May 8
Pumpkins	Apr 24-May 8 Apr 24-26	May 29-Jun 12 Jun 10-12	N/A
Parsnips	N/A	N/A	Apr 24-May 15 Apr 27-May 10
Arugula	N/A	N/A	May 1-15 May 11-15
Beets	N/A	N/A	May 1-22 May 1-10
Potatoes	N/A	N/A	May 8-29 May 8-10, May 27-29
Cilantro (Coriander)	N/A	N/A	May 15-29 May 15-26
Corn	N/A	N/A	May 15-29 May 15-26
Green Beans	N/A	N/A	May 22-Jun 12 May 22-26, Jun 10-12

What Is Planting by the Moon?

Planting by the Moon (also called "Gardening by the Moon") is a traditional way to plant your above- and below-ground crops, especially at the start of the season. Here's how it works:

Plant annual flowers and vegetables that bear crops above ground during the light, or waxing, of the Moon. In other words, plant from the day the Moon is new until the day it is full.

Plant flowering bulbs, biennial and perennial flowers, and vegetables that bear crops below ground during the dark, or waning, of the Moon. In other words, plant from the day after the Moon is full until the day before it is new again.