

## Planting Guide Bare Root Plant Material

- Bare Roots can be planted during cooler temperatures, when the soil would be too cool for tender plants. However, the soil should not be frozen.
- We recommend spacing plants approximately one plant for every square foot for a naturalized look.
- Inspect the root for broken or dead branches and roots and remove severely damaged pieces. Leave all healthy roots intact.
- Soak the root stock in water for several minutes or up to hours for woody plants.
- Dig a hole wide enough to accommodate the roots without bending or crowding them and amend the soil as may be necessary.
- Form a cone of soil in the hole and spread the roots around the cone. Keep the crown of the plant at ground level and fill the soil back into the hole working it around the roots to eliminate air pockets.
- Water the new planting thoroughly and keep it watered until the roots become well established and able to fend for themselves with normal rainfall.
- Foliage growth will occur in the first season, usually starting shortly after planting.

Our Bare Root Plants are 2+ years old and locally grown in outdoor garden beds. We take orders year round and reserve the plants for you. Credit cards are NOT charged until your order is shipped. We ship Spring (Mar-May) and Fall (Oct-Nov).

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