

Watering Schedule Planner

A mobile-friendly fillable worksheet for planning steady watering without overdoing it.

1 Start With Your Yard

Location / Bed:

Typical Soil:

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Sandy

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Loamy

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Clay

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Mixed / Unsure

Sun Exposure:

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Full Sun

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Part Sun

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Shade

Water Source:

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Hose

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Drip

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Sprinkler

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Other

2 Before You Water

Quick reminder: Check the soil 2-3 inches down before watering.

Water deeply near the root area, then let the soil begin to dry before watering again.

3 My Watering Goal

What am I trying to prevent or improve?

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My Regular Watering Plan

Use one line for each plant, bed, container, or watering zone.

1 Regular Schedule

Plant / Area	Days	Time	Method	Notes

2 Weather Adjustments

- ☐ Skip or reduce watering after a soaking rain.
- ☐ Water earlier in the day during hot weather.
- ☐ Container plants may need water more often.
- ☐ New plants need closer attention until established.
- ☐ Windy days can dry soil and leaves faster.

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Weekly Watering Log

Track what happened this week so you can adjust next week.

1 Week at a Glance

Week of:

Expected Weather:

2 Daily Tracking

Plant / Area	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Notes
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3 Rainfall and Soil Check

Rain received this week:

Soil felt mostly:

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Dry

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Moist

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Wet

Changes to make next week:

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Track the first weeks after planting, when steady moisture matters most.

1 Plant Details

Date Planted:

Container Size:

2 Establishment Checklist

- ☐ Water thoroughly immediately after planting.
- ☐ Build a small watering basin if runoff is a problem.
- ☐ Add 2-3 inches of mulch, keeping it off the stems.
- ☐ Check moisture below the mulch before watering.
- ☐ Watch for wilting, yellowing, or soggy soil.
- ☐ Reduce frequency as roots establish, but keep watering deeply.

3 First 8 Weeks

Week	Dates	Rainfall	Times Watered	Soil Check	Plant Response / Notes
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Watering Notes and Reminders

Use this page for anything you want to remember later.

1 Plants That Need Extra Attention

Plant / Area	Why It Needs Attention	Watering Notes

2 Seasonal Notes

Hot weather notes:

Rainy weather notes:

Questions to ask at the nursery: