Culture Guide

Genus	Optimal Planting Time		Retail Sales Window			Moisture in Production					
	Late Summer-Fall	Spring	Spring	Summer	Fall	Low	Average	Consistent	Requires Shade in Production	Vernalization Required for Bloom	Vernalization Beneficial
Acanthus											
Achillea											
Actaea											
Agastache											
Ajuga											
Alchemilla											
Allium											
Amsonia											
Anemone *sylvestris*											
Antennaria											
Antirrhinum											
Aquilegia											
Asclepias *tuberosa*											
Asclepias *incarnata*											
Aster											
Bergenia											
Brunnera											
Calamintha											
Callirhoe											
Campanula											
Caryopteris											
Centranthus											
Ceratostigma											
Chelone											
Coreopsis											
Dalea *purpurea*											
Dianthus *carthusianorum*											
Dianthus *gratianopolitanus*											
Digitalis											
Echinacea											
Erigeron											
Eryngium *yuccifolium*											
Eupatorium											
Galium											
Gaura											
Geranium											

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Geum *triflorum*											
Gillenia											
Grass-Andropogon											
Grass-Calamagrostis											
Grass-Carex *albicans*, C. *brevior*, C. *flacca*, C. *rosea*, and C. *pensylvanica*											
Grass-Carex *morrowii*											
Grass-Panicum											
Grass-Schizachyrium											
Grass-Sesleria											
Grass-Sporobolus											
Helenium											
Helianthus											
Heliopsis											
Heuchera											
Heucherella											
Hydrangea *arborescens*											
Hypericum											
Iris *cristata*											
Kalimeris											
Kirengeshoma											
Lamium											
Lamium *orvala*											
Lavandula											
Leontopodium											
Lespedeza											
Leucanthemum											
Liatris *ligulistylis*, L. *microcephala*											
Limonium											
Lysimachia											
Monarda											
Nepeta											
Origanum											
Packera											

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Penstemon											
Perovskia											
Persicaria											
Phlox hybrids											
Phlox *divaricata*											
Phlox *paniculata*											
Phlox x *procumbens*											
Physostegia											
Polemonium											
Pulmonaria											
Pycnanthemum *muticum*, P. *tenuifolium*											
Rudbeckia											
Salvia *koyamae*											
Salvia											
Sanguisorba											
Scutellaria											
Sedum											
Sisyrinchium											
Solidago											
Stachys											
Stachys *byzantina*											
Tanacetum											
Thymus											
Tiarella											
Tradescantia											
Tricyrtis											
Verbena *bonariensis*											
Verbena *hastata*											
Vernonia											
Veronica (groundcover types)											
Veronica (upright types)											
Veronicastrum											
Zizia											

*Many perennials, including spring bloomers, perform better when planted in late summer/fall prior to allow time for bulking and root development, but may be grown in spring as well.

*All plants require consistent moisture until they begin to root into the container. Moisture in production relates to what the plants typically need after rooting is sufficient.