



# Herbs

**Artemisia:** Annual, very fragrant, use for wreaths and dried arranging.

**Arugula:** Annual, 6-18", has a peppery taste that complements foods such as olives, garlic, tomatoes, peppers, and olive oil. Used in gourmet salads.

**Basil, Sweet:** very fragrant, excellent for culinary use, can also be used for ornamental purposes in the garden. Likes full to part sun allow to dry slightly between watering.

**Bay Laurel:** evergreen, hardy down to 15° F use for stews and soups, also good for wreath making. Bay Laurel can grow up to 5' in full to part sun.

**Caraway:** Biennial, excellent for culinary uses. Likes full sun, allow to dry out between watering.

**Catmint:** Perennial: produces a flower in late spring to early summer, likes full sun to part shade.

**Catnip:** great treat for the cats, perennial, grow 24-48", likes full sun to shade. Use as a cat treat, for tea or as a flea repellent.

**Chamomile:** Annual grows up to 18", prefers full sun, very aromatic, used for teas, medicinal and cosmetic purposes.

**Chervil:** Biennial grows 12-24", grows in full sun to part shade, good for culinary and ornamental uses. Very fragrant.

**Coriander:** Fast growing annual, can grow up to 24" in full sun, strong scented leaves, use seeds and leaves for culinary purposes.

**Curry:** Tender perennial, grows 12-36", prefers full sun to part shade, great silver gray foliage, can be used for cooking, potpourri and ornamental purposes.

**Dill:** Annual grows 18-48", likes full sun. An easy plant to grow. Can be used for medicinal and ornamental purposes. The flavor of dill goes well with fish, vegetables, soups and salads. It also compliments poached salmon and potato salad.

**Fennel:** Annual, grows 18-48" in full sun and a well-drained soil. Very popular culinary herb, leaves can be added to fish stews, soup and casseroles.

**Feverfew:** Perennial prefers full to part shade. Very easy plant to grow. For medicinal uses, dried flower arranging, potpourri, and as an insect repellent.

**Hyssop:** Perennial, grows 24" in full sun, allow plant to dry out slightly between watering. Blooms June through August. Herb is used for medicinal and ornamental purposes.

**Lavender:** Perennial grows 18-36" in full sun. Very fragrant foliage and flowers that bloom late spring into summer. Allow plant to dry slightly between watering. Uses include culinary, ornamental and aromatic.

**Lemon Balm:** Perennial, grows 13-36" in full sun. Culinary, medicinal, aromatic, and cosmetic uses.

**Lemon Verbena:** Tender Perennial, likes full sun, and blooms late summer to fall with tiny lavender flowers. Can be used for tea, potpourri, and ornamental uses.

**Lovage:** Perennial, grows 3-6', likes sun to part shade. Blooms June to July with tiny yellow flowers. Great for soups as well as ornamental purposes.

**Marjoram:** Tender Perennial, grows 12" in full sun and a light well-drained soil, has a bushy habitat easy to grow. Good for culinary and medicinal purposes.

**Mint:** Perennial, grows 2-24", can grow in full sun to part shade, can be VERY INVASIVE, best if it is grown in containers, can be used for medicinal, ornamental and culinary purposes, great for tea!

**Nasturtium:** Annual, grows in full to part sun, allow to dry out slightly between watering, leaves and flowers are edible. Flowers late spring until first frost.

**Oregano:** Perennial, grows 10-24" in sun. Allow plant to dry out between watering. Flowers July-September with rosy-purple flowers. Great for cooking!

**Parsley:** Biennial, grows 6-10" in sun. Likes a moist soil. Flat leaf parsley holds more flavor. Great for the kitchen!

**Patchouli:** Tender Perennial, likes sun and a moist soil. Very fragrant, used for perfume and potpourri.

**Perilla:** Annual grows 18" in full sun and a moist soil, curry flavored gourmet green, great ornamental qualities. Great plant source of Omega-3 fatty oils.

**Radichio:** Annual grows 6-12" in full to part sun. Cool crops green. Very spicy flavor.

**Rosemary:** Tender perennial, grows 12-24" in full sun. Allow plant to dry out slightly between watering. Very fragrant, great for culinary purposes as well as medicinal, and ornamental.

**Sage:** Perennial grows 8-36" in full sun. Allow plant to dry slightly between watering. Great foliage, good for ornamental use and aromatic. Great for the kitchen.

**Santolina:** Perennial 12-24" grows best in full sun. Allow plant to dry out slightly between watering. Very aromatic and good for an insect repellent.

**Savory:** Annual grows 18" in full sun and likes a moist soil. Often used for medicinal and culinary purposes.

**Sorrel:** Perennial grows 24" in full to part sun, allow the plant to dry out slightly between watering. Great for use in soups and salads.

**Sweet Woodruff:** Perennial grows 6", likes a shady environment and moist soil. Very fragrant, can be used as a groundcover, native to Pennsylvania. Used for medicinal purposes and to make Maywine.

**Tansy:** Perennial grows 36-48" in full to part sun, VERY INVASIVE, best if grown in a container, good insect repellent.

**Tarragon:** Perennial grows 2-4 ft. in full sun and a moist soil. Great for poultry, veggies and herbal vinegar.

**Thyme:** Perennial grows 6-18" in sun and likes a very well drained soil. Good low-growing groundcover, excellent for rock gardens and paths. Can be used as an antiseptic. Great in the kitchen for meat, fish, and sauce.

**Watercress:** Perennial grows 6-12", like sun and extremely moist soil. Good for planting along stream banks and ponds. Also used for cooking.

