

# POLLINATOR KIT PLANTING PLAN

The pollinator kit will do best in areas that are moderately well drained and full sun (at least 4-6 of sun/day). Plant plugs at least 1 foot apart. 16-18 inches is ideal. You may plant them wider to fill a larger area but know that your garden may look a little thin until it fills in. Apply a layer of mulch 2-3 inches deep and water as needed until established. This plan is just a suggestion. Remember that grouping the plants by species is ideal. If planting along your home or a fence, taller plants go in the back. Mulch and keeping a tidy border helps your planting look purposeful and cared for.

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>	<b>Height</b>	<b>Bloom Time</b>	<b>Bloom Color</b>	<b>Plan color</b>
<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	Butterflyweed	2-3	June-Aug	Orange	Red
<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	Purple Coneflower	1-4	June-Aug	Purple/pink	Dark blue
<i>Solidago speciosa</i>	Showy Goldenrod	1-3	Sept-Oct	Yellow	Brown
<i>Mondara fistulosa</i>	Wild Bergamot/Beebalm	2-5	July-Sept	Pink	Pink
<i>Liastris spicata</i>	Blazing Star	2-4	July-Sept	Red-purple	Blue
<i>Baptisia australis</i>	Blue false indigo	3-5	May-June	Indigo blue	Yellow
<i>Aster novae-angliae</i>	New England aster	3-6	Augt-Sept	Purple/pink	Purple
<i>Zizia aurea</i>	Golden Alexanders	1-3	May-June	Yellow	Turquoise
<i>Asclepia sysriaca</i>	Common Milkweed	2-4	June-Aug	Pink/white	Orange
<i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i>	Prairie Dropseed	2-4	Aug-Oct	Pink-brown	Green

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