



YOUR SEED-STARTING PLAN

The Spring Frost-Free Date in My Garden is _____

CROP	WHEN TO START INSIDE	WEEKS FROM SOWING	SAFE TO SET OUT TIME (RELATIVE TO FROST-FREE DATE)	SETTING OUT DATE
<u>Basil</u>		6	1 week after	
<u>Beets</u> *		4-6	2 weeks before	
<u>Broccoli</u>		4-6	2 weeks before	
<u>Cabbage</u>		4-6	4 weeks before	
<u>Cauliflower</u>		4-6	2 weeks before	
<u>Collards</u>		4-6	4 weeks before	
<u>Cucumber</u>		3-4	1 to 2 weeks after	
<u>Eggplant</u>		8-10	2 to 3 weeks after	
<u>Kale</u>		4-6	4 weeks before	
<u>Kohlrabi</u> *		4-6	4 weeks before	
<u>Lettuce</u>		4-5	3 to 4 weeks before	
<u>Melons</u>		3-4	2 weeks after	
<u>Mustard</u> *		4-6	4 weeks before	
<u>Onions</u>		6-8	4 weeks before	
<u>Parsley</u>		9-10	2 to 3 weeks before	
<u>Peas</u> *		3-4	6 to 8 weeks before	
<u>Peppers</u>		6-14	2 weeks after	
<u>Pumpkins</u>		3-4	2 weeks after	
<u>Spinach</u>		4-6	3 to 6 weeks before	
<u>Squash</u>		3-4	2 weeks after	
<u>Swiss chard</u>		4-6	2 weeks before	
<u>Tomatoes</u>		6-8	1 to 2 weeks after	

* These crops are usually direct-seeded outdoors, but they can be started inside.