

MASTER GARDENER VOLUNTEER PROGRAM – CUYAHOGA COUNTY



Container Vegetable Varieties

Vegetable	Container Size	Varieties / Cultivars
Beans, Lima	12" wide, 8-10" deep	Baby Bush, Fordhook Bush Lima
Beans, Bush	8" wide, 8-10" deep	Mascotte (AAS), Bush Blue Lake, Bush Kentucky Wonder
Beans, Pole	12" wide, 8-10" deep	Kentucky Wonder Pole, Blue Lake, Kentucky Blue Pole
Beets	6"-12" deep	Any Variety
Broccoli	20" deep	Any Variety
Brussels Sprouts	12" wide, 12" deep	Any Variety
Cabbage	2" deep	Derby Day
Carrots	10" wide, 10" deep	Oxhard, Little Finger, French Carrot, Adelaide, Caracas
Chard	8-12" deep	Any Variety
Chinese Cabbage	20" deep	Bok Choi, Toy Choi
Collards	12" deep	Any Variety
Corn	21" wide, 8" deep, need 3 plants to pollinate	Not recommended, Golden Bantam
Cucumber	20" wide, 16" deep	Mini Munch, Bush Pickle Hybrid, Patio Snacker, Spacemaster, Salad Bush Hybrid
Eggplant	16" deep	Patio Baby, Bride, Hansel, Gretel, Fairy Tale, Epic
Horseradish	5 gallon or larger	Maliner Kren
Kale	8" wide, 8" deep	Any Variety
Kohlrabi	12" deep	Any Variety
Lettuce	10-12" deep	Any Variety
Onions	10-12" deep	Bunching type works best
Peas	12" deep	Little Marvel, Tom Thumb
Peppers	16" deep	Any Variety
Potatoes	20 gallon containers	Kennebec, Red Pontiac, Yukon Gold Fingerlings
Pumpkins	5 gallon Tub	Jack Be Little, Baby Boo, Small
Radish	4-6" deep	Any Variety, Avoid winter varieties
Spinach	4-6" deep	Any Variety
Squash, Summer	24" deep	Patio Star (Zucchini), most others
Squash, Winter	24" deep	Butterbush Hybrid, Bush Acorn
Tomatoes	24" deep	Sweet Pea, Tumbling Tom, Golden Nugget, Sun Drop, Tumbler, Early Girl, Celebrity, Patio Hybrid, Sweet and Neat, Micro Tom
Turnips	10-12" deep	Any Variety