

Plug Aftercare



Check New Transplants Every 3-7 Days

Water if soil feels dry, especially if weather has been hot and dry

Supplement Plants with Water as Needed

For about 8-12 weeks after planting. If you are planting mid to late season you will need to take extra care during the typically hot, dry weather

Skip out on watering for a few to several days after substantial rains.

In most beds you will not need to water more than once a week (unless it is dry or receives less precipitation); possibly less often with regular significant rainfall

Moisture retention is largely dependent on soil composition, sun exposure, neighbouring trees, and any surrounding objects that may block rainfall

Proximity to structural features may cause the area to stay warmer or cooler longer, as well.

During First Year Establishment

Continue to monitor the plants and water only when the soil is dry such as during long drought periods with high heat or if the plant is showing signs of early drought stress

After the 8-12 week period, monitor the plants weekly to help ensure success

Water at the End of the Growing Season

Watering your plants right before the ground freezes during the first year of growth will help your plants to better overwinter—especially in the Chinook zone

After their First Season

From spring or summer planting, the plants will be more established and ready to deal with the local climate on their own. No more supplemental watering necessary—as long as you have planted the right plant in the right place.

Plugs are Great Because

They use less resources to grow a plant for your project

Plugs are easy to ship or install into a landscape