

# Companion Planting



Plants and flowers need to be in the right environment to grow. This includes water, light and nutrients. Many plant species need to be in their own space away from other plants in order to grow well. However, some different plants can be together and can even help each other grow.

## Try putting these plants together:



**roses and garlic**



**tomatoes and marigolds**



**cucumber and nasturtiums**



**cabbages and dill**



**roses and geraniums**



**daffodils and amsonia**

Some plants repel pests in the soil. This means other plants can grow close to them so they can avoid pests and thrive.

It can be a good idea to grow plants that are tall near to plants that are shorter as this is a good use of space.

Some plants attract pollinators, so other plants grow here too so they can reproduce.



**daisies and petunias**

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Some plants, such as sunflowers, can give off harmful chemicals from their roots so it is better to plant them away from other plants.

Some plants attract the same pests. It is best to plant these away from each other so the pests don't destroy all the crops.

Some plants can actually stunt the growth of other plants nearby.

**These plants do not grow well together and can even stop each other from growing.**



**potatoes and tomatoes**



**onion and garlic**



**kale and basil**



**cabbage and strawberries**



**rosemary and cucumber**



**marigolds and beans**