



Companion Planting

in the Vegetable Garden

Did you know certain crops perform better when planted near other crops? Some crops repel pests that can plague others, while nutrients from certain crops can help their neighbor flourish. Here are some pairings to consider when planning your vegetable garden.

	Asparagus	Bean (bush)	Bean (pole)	Beet	Broccoli	Brussel Sprouts	Cabbage	Carrot	Cauliflower	Celery	Corn	Cucumber	Eggplant	Kale	Kohlrabi	Leek	Lettuce	Onion (family)	Parsley	Parsnip	Pea	Pepper	Potato	Pumpkin	Radish	Rutabaga	Spinach	Squash	Strawberry	Tomato	Turnip
Asparagus	●																		●												●
Bean (bush)		●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	●		●		●					●	●
Bean (pole)			●					●	●		●	●	●				●				●		●		●					●	
Beet		●		●	●	●	●		●		●			●	●	●	●	●								●					
Broccoli		●		●	●			●		●		●		●			●	●					●		●		●		●		●
Brussel Sprouts		●		●	●	●		●		●		●		●			●	●			●		●		●		●		●		●
Cabbage		●		●			●	●		●	●	●		●			●	●					●		●		●		●		●
Carrot		●	●		●	●	●	●	●		●					●	●	●			●	●	●		●		●		●		●
Cauliflower		●	●	●				●	●	●		●		●			●	●					●		●		●		●		●
Celery		●			●	●	●		●	●				●	●	●	●	●				●						●	●		●
Corn		●	●	●			●				●	●					●		●			●		●	●				●		
Cucumber		●	●		●	●	●		●		●	●	●	●	●		●	●				●	●	●	●	●					●
Eggplant		●	●									●	●				●	●			●	●	●	●	●	●					●
Kale	●	●		●	●		●		●	●		●		●			●	●					●		●		●		●		●
Kohlrabi		●		●						●		●		●	●		●	●					●		●					●	●
Leek		●		●				●		●						●	●	●													●
Lettuce	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Onion (family)				●	●	●	●	●	●					●	●	●	●	●		●		●		●		●		●	●	●	●
Parsley	●										●						●		●			●		●							●
Parsnip		●															●	●			●	●	●	●		●					●
Pea		●	●			●		●		●	●	●	●				●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Pepper								●					●				●	●			●	●	●								●
Potato		●	●		●	●	●		●		●		●	●	●		●	●			●	●	●	●		●					●
Pumpkin											●		●				●								●	●					
Radish		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			●	●				●	●			●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Rutabaga																	●	●			●	●	●				●				●
Spinach					●	●	●		●	●				●			●	●			●	●	●			●		●		●	●
Squash									●	●							●	●				●						●	●		●
Strawberry		●	●														●	●			●	●	●					●		●	●
Tomato	●	●			●	●	●	●	●	●		●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●		●		●		●		●		●	●
Turnip																	●	●				●									●

● = compatible to plant together

Quick Tip: Don't get left in the dark! While these pairings grow well together, always remember to consider the sun when planting them. Avoid planting taller or trellised crops where they will block the sun from reaching shorter crops below. (For example- pole beans and carrots, corn and cucumbers, etc.)