



# GREENWICH COMMUNITY GARDENS GARDEN TIPS

## SOIL TEMPERATURES FOR PLANTING VEGETABLES

40° F or warmer	Lettuce, kale, peas, spinach, arugula, pak choi, radishes, parsley
50° F or warmer	Onions, leeks, turnips
55° F or warmer	Tomatoes, Swiss chard, cabbage
60° F or warmer	Broccoli, cabbage, cauliflower, beans, beets, cucumbers, peppers
65° F or warmer	Summer squash, melon



## PH VALUES FOR SOME VEGETABLES

Potatoes	4.5-6.0
Garlic	5.5-7.5
Tomatoes	5.5-7.5
Cucumbers	5.5-7.5
Peppers	5.5-7.0
Carrots	5.5-7.0
Arugula	6.0-6.5
Spinach	6.0-6.5
Radish	6.0-7.0
Peas	6.0-7.5
Beans	6.0-7.5
Kale	6.0-7.5
Leeks	6.0-8.0



## FROST DATES IN ZONE 6

**FROST-FREE GROWING SEASON = 190 DAYS(ISH)**

Each winter on average, the risk of frost is: October 25 through April 18

More certainly frost is: November 7 through April 3

Almost guaranteed to NOT get frost from May 2 through October 10