

<p>SEPTEMBER</p> <p>NM – 7th 8th – 13th</p>	<p><u>New Moon 1st Quarter</u></p> <p>Plant annual above ground leafy plants with seed outside the fruit</p>	<p>African & French marigold, cabbage, Chinese cabbage, celery, cosmos, dill, grain crops, lettuce, mizuna, motherwort, parsley, rocket, silverbeet, spring onions, NZ spinach, nasturtium, sunflower, tatsoi, sweet basil</p>	<p><u>No planting 12 hours either side of New moon</u></p> <p>In this quarter gravity pulls water up causing seeds to swell and burst. This with increasing light creates balanced leaf and root growth</p>
<p>16th – 20th</p>	<p><u>New Moon 2nd quarter</u></p> <p>Annuals with above ground yield which are vines and produce seeds inside the fruit</p>	<p>African & French marigold, beans (bush & climbing), capsicum/chilli, cosmos, cucumber, eggplant, grain crops, nasturtium, okra, pumpkin, rockmelon, rosella spring onions, summer squash, sunflower, sweet corn, tomatoes, watermelon, zucchini</p>	<p>Moonlight increasing creating strong leaf growth so is generally good for above ground leafy plant</p>
<p>FM – 21st 22nd – 28th</p>	<p><u>Full Moon 3rd Quarter</u></p> <p>Biennials, perennials, bulb and root crops Planted in one season to winter over and produce the following year. E.g. trees & shrubs</p>	<p>Asparagus, avocado, banana, banana passionfruit, beetroot, catnip, chives, carrot, echinacea, herbaceous perennials, hyssop, Jerusalem artichoke, lavender, macadamia, marjoram, mint, oregano, passionfruit, pawpaw, potato, rue, radish, rosemary, sage, sweet potato, thyme, tropical & cherry guava, watercress</p>	<p><u>No planting 12 hours either side of the Full moon</u></p> <p>Energy is drawing down creating more moisture in the soil and the moonlight is decreasing allowing for more energy to concentrate in the roots especially the 2 days after the full moon.</p>
<p>1st – 6th & 29th – 30th</p>	<p><u>Full Moon 4th Quarter</u></p> <p>No planting but a good time to cultivate, pull weeds and destroy pests.</p>	<p>No Planting, General Garden Maintenance</p>	<p>Gravitational pull is at its lowest as is the moonlight and this is considered a resting period from planting.</p>