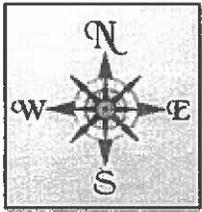


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2014 Garden Plan



Updated April 3, 2014



Asparagus

Future bed

McKinley School Garden Plan – 2014 Early Spring Plan (planting end of Feb-to-before-Break)

Late Feb/early Mar: Direct sow fava beans; arugula [LEGUME]

Create allium bed in March – sow nursery starts of leeks and onions? Surround bed with direct-sown radishes and carrots. [ROOT]

If Bed is under cover sow beets, carrots and chard in early-mid March. (If not, sow 2 wks later) [ROOT]

Peas – edible pod (pre-sprout peas) – sow late Feb/early March [LEGUME]

Garlic until Summer crop? [ROOT]



Peas – shelling (pre-sprout peas) – sow late Feb/early March [LEGUME]

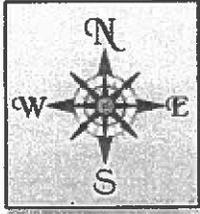
[Apply mulch/fertilizer/ additional soil if needed]

These 2 beds under plastic

See details pertaining to Potatoes. Apply mulch/ fertilizer/additional soil if needed]

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Asparagus

Can start asparagus crowns in March, but beds need deep digging and amending prior to establishing

Future bed

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Favas: Sw. Lorane – 65 days
Broad Windsor – 80 days
[LEGUME]

Leeks: 80-90 days (use starts, plant at one end of bed)
Onions (Scallions): 60 days
Carrots: 70-80 days
Radish (30 days)

Beets: 55-65 days
Carrots: 70-80 days
Chard: 50-60 days
Plant bed by thirds. Needs floating row cover to discourage leaf miner and carrot fly

(Divide bed into thirds, plant a week apart? Use trellises)
Peas: SNAP (60 days) and SNOW (70 days)

Garlic until Summer crop?
[ROOT]

[Empty box]

Peas – shelling: 60-70 days
Setup trellis(es) before planting peas

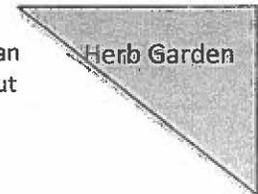
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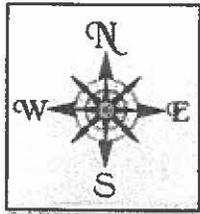
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IF PLANTING POTATOES LATER
DO NOT USE Nitrogen or Lime;
Use extra bone meal

[Apply mulch/fertilizer/ additional soil if needed]

In early spring, clean up herb bed and cut back dried, overwintered and dead stems





Asparagus

Asparagus?

**McKinley School
Garden Plan –
2014 Late Spring
Plan (Planting after
Spring Break to early
June)**

Remove FAVAS by end of June;
wait until later to plant fall crops
[LEGUMES]

Create allium bed in March –
sow nursery starts of leeks and
onions? Surround bed with
direct-sown radishes and
carrots. [ROOT]

Harvest bed by early June, Sow
Winter Squash. [FRUIT]

Remove Peas 3rd week of May;
plants starts of Tomatoes,
Cucumbers, Basil, Borage
[FRUIT]

Sow (pre-sprouted) pole beans in
May (when soil is warm)
[LEGUMES]

Tomato, peppers, Eggplant,
Basil And Borage [FRUIT]
[NIGHTSHADE]

Remove Peas 3rd week of May,
sow Summer squash end of
May.
[FRUIT]

Plant starts of broccoli,
cauliflower interspersed with
salad greens (mid April)
[LEAF]

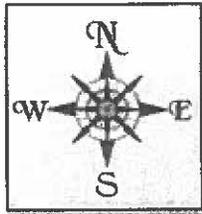
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Sow bush beans when soil
warms
[LEGUMES]

Sow seed potatoes right
after Spring Break ends
[ROOT] [NIGHTSHADE]

Plant starts of cabbage and Kale
(early –mid April)
[LEAF]

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Remove FAVAS by end of June;
wait until later to plant fall crops
[LEGUMES]

½ allium bed.
Harvest radishes/carrots when
ready. [ROOTS]

Winter Squash: 90-120 days
[FRUIT]

Tomatoes: 56-80 days
Cucumbers: 45-60 days – trellis
cukes??
Basil and Borage good
companion plants

Pole beans: 70 days
(Will this bed have enough sun?)
[LEGUMES]

Tomatoes: 65-80 days
Peppers: 60-75 days
Eggplant: 55-75 days
[FRUIT] [NIGHTSHADE]

Summer squash: 50 days
(Theoretically can be started
prior to removing peas)

Broccoli: 65-75 days
Cauliflower: 75-90 days
Use floating row cover against
cabbage moth
[LEAF] [BRASSICAS]

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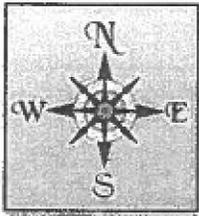
Bush beans: 60 days
(If time allows, divide bed into
thirds and plant 10 days apart.
[LEGUMES]

Potatoes: 70-90 days

Cabbage: 65-70 days
Kale: 45-50 days
Use floating row cover against
cabbage moth
[LEAF] [BRASSICAS]

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Garden Plan –
2014 Summer Plan
(July through September)

Remove Favas by end of July,
follow with Brussels Sprouts and
Purple sprouting broccoli starts
[LEAF]

Harvest root crops, and sow
crimson clover in September
[LEGUME]

As bed empties, mulch with
leaves and compost

As beds empty sow rye and
field peas to overwinter
[LEGUME]

When beans are done, sow
Asian greens, lettuces, spinach
and chard to grow into fall
[LEAF]

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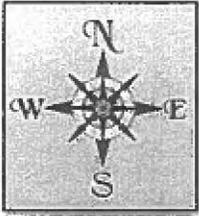
Harvest the broccoli and
cauliflower and sow favas/
Austrian field peas in August
[LEGUME]

As bush beans finish, try
sowing carrots, chard,
radishes, and lettuce greens for
fall crop
[ROOTS and LEAVES]

After potatoes are done,
broadcast cereal rye and
Austrian field peas for winter
cover crop [LEGUME]

Harvest cabbage and kale by
August, broadcast Crimson
Clover, to grow until OCT then
plant garlic [LEGUME-ROOT]

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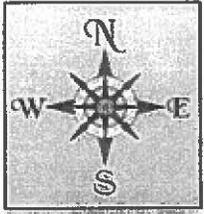
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McKinley School Garden Plan – Class Scheduling –

Class:
Day and Time:
Liaison:

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Asparagus

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