

Planting Guide



For A
Successful
Transplant
Follow These
Simple
Instructions



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WATERING NEEDS

It is very important to water your new arrivals everyday for the first three days. Do not expect irrigation to provide ample water for the new plants. They depend on the water available inside the root ball until they have established new roots into the surrounding area.

Fill the water-well several times every **THREE DAYS.**



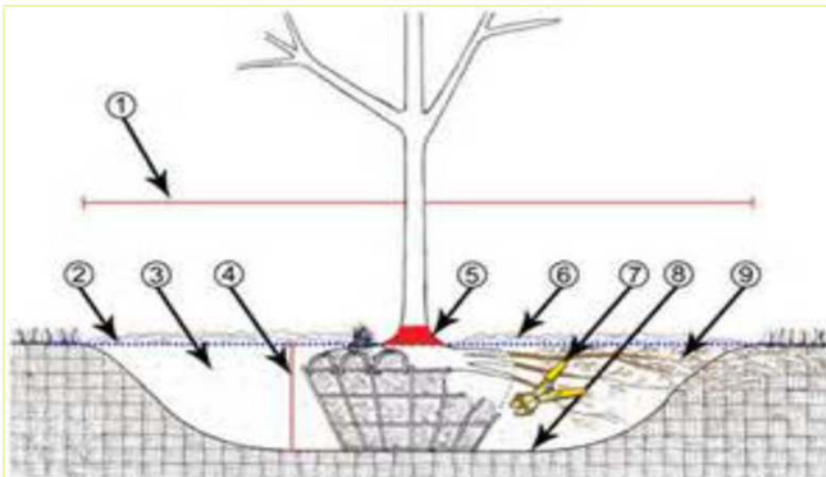
All plants are sold as is.

PLANTING

Water all plants WELL before transplanting.

1. Dig hole twice as large as root ball and fill with water.
2. Gently remove plant from container. (If ball & burlap see reverse side.)
3. Place plant in hole and position as desired.
4. Amend the dirt removed with an equal amount of compost and fill in around the root ball. Finish by building a water-well above the root ball to hold the water.

IMPORTANT: To remove all air pockets, fill water-well three to five times.



1. Dig a hole that is 2 to 3 times wider than the root ball at surface.
2. Existing soil surface (dotted line)
3. Amended soil
4. Hole depth equals base of root flare to bottom of root ball
5. Root flare above the soil surface
6. 2" to 3" layer of mulch (keep away from trunk)
7. Cut away the upper one half of the wire basket or burlap
8. Firm ground
9. New root growth

Q&A

What is a water-well?

A water-well is a small mound circling above the root ball to hold water so the water drains down into the root ball.

Do I break up the roots?

No. (Unless there are so many roots that there is no soil remaining in the root ball.) Just gently tease a few roots loose.

Do I have to water in the winter?

Yes, when there are periods with no snow cover it is helpful to water your plants.

What if I can't dig deep enough in the location I want? (Rocks or roots restrictions)

You can build up the ground and plant in a mound. Use rocks or bricks as a retaining wall.