

A Fragrance Garden

Add a pleasurable extra dimension to your landscape by filling it with appealing fragrant plants. To get the most from your fragrant plants, plan ahead when placing them in your garden:

- * near a sitting area to allow the scents to surround you
- * beside an entry to welcome you and your guests
- * close to you, as in window boxes, planters, raised beds, or pots on stands
- * outside a window to allow scents to waft into your home
- * in a mass – some plants are more effective in groups than singly
- * underfoot – low-growing herbs such as thyme and mint planted in places they're likely to be stepped on

To fully enjoy the fragrance, design a plan that will have something of interest throughout the season, rather than having all of the fragrance at the same time. Remember that many plants have fragrant foliage, rather than blooms, so try to include them in your garden also. The bonus of fragrant plants is that many are unattractive to pests, including deer.

In addition to herbs, all of which have fragrant foliage, Johnson's carries a wide range of roses and other fragrant plants:

Trees

Fringetree - *Chionanthus virginicus*
Magnolia, Southern - *Magnolia grandiflora*
Magnolia, Star - *Magnolia stellata*
Silverbell, Carolina - *Halesia carolina*
Snowbell, Japanese - *Styrax japonica*

Shrubs

Abelia - *Abelia x grandiflora*
Butterfly Bush - *Buddleia davidii*
Daphne - *Daphne odora*
Fothergilla - *Fothergilla gardenii*
Lilac - *Syringa vulgaris*
Summersweet - *Clethra alnifolia*
Sweet Box - *Sarcococca humilis*
Sweetspire - *Itea virginica*
Viburnum, Koreanspice - *Viburnum carlesii*

Vines

Clematis, Autumn - *Clematis ternifolia*
Honeysuckle - *Lonicera sempervirens*
Wisteria, American - *Wisteria frutescens*

Perennials

Bee Balm (foliage) - *Monarda didyma*
Carnations - *Dianthus spp.*
Hyssop - *Agastache hybrida*
Lavender - *Lavandula angustifolia*
Lily of the Valley - *Convallaria majalis*
Phlox - *Phlox paniculata*
Sage, Russian - *Perovskia atriplicifolia*
Sweet William - *Dianthus barbatus*
Sweet Woodruff - *Asperula odorata*
Sweet Rocket - *Hesperis matronalis*
Wormwood - *Artemisia vulgaris*

Annuals

Alyssum - *Lobularia maritima*
Carnation - *Dianthus spp.*
Geranium (foliage) - *Pelargonium spp.*
Heliotrope - *Heliotropium arborescens*
Petunia - *Petunia x hybrida*
Stock - *matthiola incana*
Sweet Pea - *Kathyrus odoratus*
Tobacco, Flowering - *Nicotiana spp.*

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