

HOME VEGETABLE GARDENING PLANTING CALENDAR FOR EL PASO COUNTY

	LATE	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
	Beans, Lima					■	■	■					
B	Cucumber					■	■	■					
	Eggplant ⁴					■	■	■					
	Muskmelon					■	■	■					
B	Okra					■	■	■					
	Peas, Southern					■	■	■					
	Pepper ⁵					■	■	■					
	Soybean					■	■	■					
B	Tomato ⁶				■	■	■	■					
B	Squash, Summer					■	■	■					
B	Squash, Winder					■	■	■					
	Sweet Potato					■	■	■					
B	Watermellon					■	■	■					

FALL GARDEN

A	Halfwidth (double rows) 12"-14" apart
B	Double width (skip rows) 1" apart. All others regular 36" apart including tomato in wire cages.
2	For cabbage plants, plant seed indoors December 30.
3	For lettuce plants, plant seed indoors January 10.
4	For eggplant plants, plant seed indoors in February.
5	For pepper plants, plant seed indoors March 1.
6	For tomato plants, plant seed indoors March 1.
To escape risk with cucumber, eggplant, muskmelon, tomato, squash and watermelon, use hotkaps or delay planting two weeks.	
Note: Crops usually do best when planted in the earlier part of each period shown. Spring planted tomato, eggplant and okra usually bear until frost.	