



ROSE CARE CHART



January

Study catalogs; order roses
Clean and sharpen tools
Test pH; adjust if necessary
Plant container roses
Plant bare-root roses
Transplant roses
Prune roses
Fertilize after pruning
Resume watering
Spray as

February

Study catalogs; order roses
Clean and sharpen tools
Test pH; adjust if necessary
Plant container roses
Plant bare-root roses
Transplant roses
Apply summer mulch
Water as needed
Spray as needed

March

Plant container roses
Fertilize roses
Apply supplemental liquid fertilizer
Weed rose beds; apply pre-emergent herbicide
Continue regular spraying
Water as needed
Disbud for larger flowers
Deadhead faded flowers

April

Fertilize roses
Apply supplemental liquid fertilizer
Continue regular spraying
Water as needed
Disbud for larger flowers
Deadhead faded flowers

May

Plant container roses
Fertilize roses
Apply supplemental liquid fertilizer
Weed rose beds
Continue regular spraying
Water as needed
Disbud for larger flowers
Deadhead faded flowers

June

Plant container roses
Fertilize roses
Apply supplemental liquid fertilizer
Weed rose beds
Continue regular spraying
Water as needed
Disbud for larger flowers
Deadhead faded flowers

July

Plant container roses
Fertilize roses
Apply supplemental liquid fertilizer
Weed rose beds
Continue regular spraying
Water as needed
Disbud for larger flowers
Deadhead faded flowers

August

Plant container roses
Fertilize roses
Apply supplemental liquid fertilizer
Apply fertilizer for the last time
Weed rose beds
Continue regular spraying
Water as needed
Disbud for larger flowers
Deadhead faded flowers

September

Order roses for fall planting
Plant container roses
Apply fertilizer for the last time
Weed rose beds
Continue regular spraying
Water as needed

October

Order roses for fall planting
Plant container roses
Weed rose beds
Continue regular spraying
Water as needed
Stop deadheading roses

November

Order roses for spring planting
Prepare soil for spring planting
Plant container roses
Spray as needed
Withhold water from established plants

December

Order roses for spring planting
Prepare soil for spring planting
Plant container roses
Plant bare-root roses
Transplant roses
Spray as needed