

• PEPPERS •

COMPANIONS - Carrot, eggplant, onion and tomato

• POTATOES •

COMPANIONS - Beans, cole crops, corn, eggplant, peas.

ALLIES - Horseradish, planted at the corners of the potato patch, provides general protection. Marigold deters beetles.

ENEMIES - Tomatoes and potatoes are attacked by the same blight.

• PUMPKINS •

COMPANIONS - Corn, melon, squash

ALLIES - Marigold deters beetles. Nasturtium deters bugs, beetles. Oregano provides general pest protection

• RADISH •

COMPANIONS - Bean, carrot, cucumber, lettuce, melon, pea.

ALLIES - Chervil and nasturtium improve growth and flavor

ENEMIES - Hyssop

• SPINACH •

COMPANIONS - Cabbage, strawberry

• SQUASH •

COMPANIONS - Corn, melon, pumpkin

ALLIES - Borage deters worms, improves growth and flavor. Marigold deters beetles. Nasturtium deters squash bugs and beetles. Oregano provides general pest protection.

• STRAWBERRIES •

COMPANIONS - Bean, lettuce, onion, spinach, thyme.

ALLIES - Borage strengthens resistance to insects and disease. Thyme, as a border, deters worms.

• TOMATOES •

COMPANIONS - Asparagus, carrot, celery, cucumber, onion, parsley, pepper.

ALLIES - Basil repels flies and mosquitoes, improves growth and flavor. Bee balm, chives and mint improve health and flavor. Borage deters tomato worms, improves growth and flavor. Dill, until mature, improves growth and health. Once mature, it stunts tomato growth. Marigold deters nematodes. Calendula deters tomato worm and general garden pests.

ENEMIES - Corn and tomato are attacked by the same worm. Mature dill slows tomato growth. Kohlrabi stunts tomato growth. Potatoes and tomatoes are attacked by the same blight.



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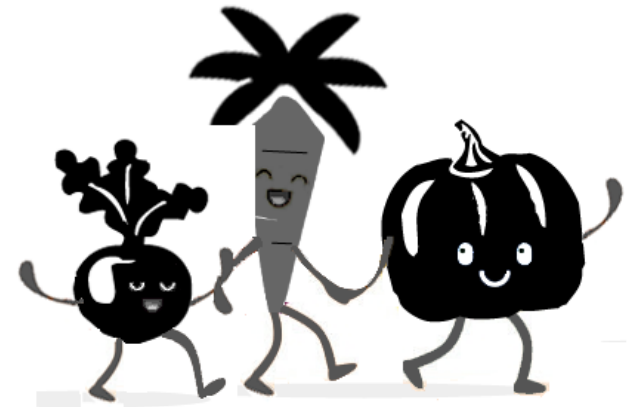
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VEGETABLE COMPANION PLANTING



GOOD PLANT RELATIONSHIPS
HELP YOUR GARDEN THRIVE



WHAT IS COMPANION PLANTING?

Companion planting involves growing certain plants near your vegetables that will benefit them in some way. Many companions are other vegetables that grow well together, while some are herbs and flowers that deter harmful insects and improve growth and flavor. A popular companion to the vegetable garden is the marigold. Marigolds have been used for decades as a pest deterrent. However, listed below are many more companions. This information was put together by **Todd Weinmann of North Dakota State University Agriculture Extension**. www.burpee.com/blog/article10888.html

VEGETABLE COMPANIONS

• ASPARAGUS •

COMPANIONS - Basil, parsley, tomato

ALLIES - Calendula deters beetles

• BEANS •

COMPANIONS - Beets (bush beans only), cabbage, carrot, celery, chard, corn, cucumber, eggplant, pea, potato, radish, strawberry

ALLIES - Marigold deters Mexican bean beetles. Nasturtium, rosemary and summer savory deter bean beetles. Summer savory also improves growth and flavor.

ENEMIES - Garlic, onions and shallots stunt growth.

• BEETS •

COMPANIONS - Bush beans, cole crops, lettuce, onion.

ALLIES - Garlic improves growth and flavor

ENEMIES - Pole beans and beets stunt each other's growth.

• CARROTS •

COMPANIONS - Bean, lettuce, onion, pea, pepper, radish, tomato.

ALLIES - Chives improve growth and flavor. Rosemary and sage deter carrot flies.

• CELERY •

COMPANIONS - Beans, cabbage, tomatoes

ALLIES - Chives and garlic deter aphids. Nasturtium deters bugs and aphids.

• CHARD •

COMPANIONS - Beans, cabbage, onion

• COLE CROPS •

Cole crops include Broccoli, Brussels Sprouts, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Chinese Cabbage, Kale, and Kohlrabi

COMPANIONS - Beets, celery, chard, cucumber, lettuce, onion, potato, spinach.

ALLIES - Chamomile and garlic improve growth and flavor. Catnip, hyssop, rosemary and sage deter cabbage moth. Dill improves growth and health. Mint deters cabbage moths and ants. Nasturtium deters bugs, beetles, aphids. Thyme deters cabbageworm.

ENEMIES - Kohlrabi and tomatoes stunt each other's growth.

• CORN •

COMPANIONS - Bean, cucumber, melon, parsley, pea, potato, pumpkin, squash

ALLIES - Odorless marigold and white geranium deter Japanese beetles.

ENEMIES - Tomatoes and corn are attacked by the same worm.

• CUCUMBER •

COMPANIONS - Bean, cole crops, corn, pea, radish, tomato

ALLIES - Marigold deters beetles. Nasturtium deters aphids, beetles and bugs, improves growth and flavor. Oregano deters pests in general.

• EGGPLANT •

COMPANIONS - Bean, pepper

ALLIES - Marigold deters nematodes

ENEMIES - Sage is generally injurious to cucumber.

• LETTUCE •

COMPANIONS - Beets, cole crops, carrot, onion, radish, strawberry

ALLIES - Chives and garlic deter aphids.

• MELON •

COMPANIONS - Corn, pumpkin, radish, squash

ALLIES - Marigold deters beetles. Nasturtium deters bugs and beetles. Oregano provides general pest protection.

• ONION •

COMPANIONS - Beets, cole crops, carrot, chard, lettuce, pepper, strawberry, tomato

ALLIES - Chamomile and summer savory improve growth and flavor.

ENEMIES - Onions stunt beans and peas

• PEAS •

COMPANIONS - Bean, carrot, corn, cucumber, radish, turnip.

ALLIES - Chives deter aphids. Mint improves health and flavor.

ENEMIES - Garlic and onion stunt the growth of peas.