Montana Vegetable Planting Calendar

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Crop	Start indoors	Plant out / sow	Fall / 2nd sowing	First harvest
Tomato	Mar 20 - Apr 3	May 15 - Jun 1	-	Jul 21 - Aug 15
Bell Pepper	Mar 13 - Mar 27	May 22 - Jun 8	-	Jul 28 - Aug 27
Chili Pepper	Mar 13 - Mar 27	May 22 - Jun 8	-	Aug 7 - Sep 6
Eggplant	Mar 6 - Mar 20	May 29 - Jun 15	-	Aug 9 - Aug 29
Cucumber	Apr 17 - May 1	May 22 - Jun 8	Jun 13 - Jun 30	Jul 18 - Aug 7
Zucchini	Apr 17 - May 1	May 15 - Jun 1	Jun 13 - Jun 30	Jul 6 - Jul 21
Winter Squash	Apr 17 - May 1	May 15 - Jun 1	-	Aug 10 - Sep 9
Pumpkin	Apr 17 - May 1	May 15 - Jun 1	-	Aug 20 - Sep 19
Sweet Corn	-	May 17 - Jun 5	-	Jul 21 - Aug 30
Bush Bean	-	May 17 - Jun 5	Jun 20 - Jul 7	Jul 11 - Jul 21
Pole Bean	-	May 17 - Jun 5	-	Jul 21 - Jul 31
Pea	-	Apr 5 - Apr 24	Jun 27 - Jul 14	Jun 4 - Jun 19
Lettuce	Apr 10 - Apr 24	Apr 24 - May 11	Jul 11 - Jul 28	May 31 - Jun 30
Spinach	-	Apr 5 - Apr 24	Jul 18 - Aug 4	May 17 - May 25
Kale	Mar 27 - Apr 10	Apr 17 - May 4	Jun 20 - Jul 7	Jun 13 - Jun 28
Swiss Chard	Apr 10 - Apr 24	Apr 24 - May 11	Jun 27 - Jul 14	Jun 20 - Jun 30
Broccoli	Mar 27 - Apr 10	Apr 24 - May 11	Jun 6 - Jun 23	Jun 30 - Jul 25
Cauliflower	Mar 27 - Apr 10	Apr 24 - May 11	Jun 6 - Jun 23	Jun 30 - Jul 30
Cabbage	Mar 27 - Apr 10	Apr 17 - May 4	Jun 6 - Jun 23	Jun 23 - Aug 2
Carrot	-	Apr 19 - May 8	Jun 20 - Jul 7	Jun 23 - Jul 13
Beet	-	Apr 12 - May 1	Jul 4 - Jul 21	Jun 6 - Jun 26
Radish	-	Apr 12 - May 1	Aug 1 - Aug 18	May 9 - May 17
Onion	Feb 27 - Mar 13	Apr 17 - May 4	-	Jul 23 - Aug 22
Garlic	-	-	Sep 26 - Oct 13	May - Jun (next year)
Potato	-	Apr 26 - May 15	-	Jul 10 - Aug 29
Basil	Apr 3 - Apr 17	May 22 - Jun 8	-	Jun 28 - Jul 28

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