

Estate Management

Plant fact sheet

Begonia semperflorens - Bedding Begonias



Cultural Hints –

- Full sun to semi shade
- Well drained soils rich in organic matter.
- Liquid fertilise monthly in growing season
- Mulch in warmer months

Heuchera – Coral Bells



Cultural Hints –

- Sun to shade
- Any well drained soils with added compost
- Do not fertilise
- Regular watering
- Mulch in growing season
- Liquid fertilise weekly during spring/summer

Poinsettia



Cultural Hints –

- Open sunny position with afternoon shade in a sheltered position
- Composted well drained moist soils
- Slow release fertiliser in warmer months
- Keep moist but not wet

Geranium



Cultural Hints –

- Morning sun (6 hours per day) to afternoon shade in a sheltered position
- Composted well drained moist soils
- Occasional fertiliser in warmer months
- Water when dry. Avoid overhead watering
- Remove spent flowers

Sedum japonica “Tokyo Sun’



Cultural Hints –

- Sun / part shade
- Any- well drained soils
- Slow release granular fertiliser in Spring
- Water weekly or once dried out

Osteospermum- Cape daisy



Cultural Hints –

- Full Sun
- Any- well drained soils
- Drought tolerant
- Fertiliser after flowering to encourage a second flush
- Water weekly or once dried out. Don't over water

Hebe



Cultural Hints -

- Full sun to part shade
- Any- well drained soils
- Mulch to retain moisture
- Slow release granular fertiliser in Spring
- Prune after flowering to retain a compact shape

Adenanthos sericeus "Dwarf Woolly Bush"



Cultural Hints –

- Full sun to light shade
- Sandy to sandy /loam well drained soils. Keep thinly mulched.
- Tolerates coastal conditions
- Water weekly for first 6 months to establish then let the rain take over. Is drought tolerant
- No fertiliser necessary.

Nemesia



Cultural Hints –

- Full sun to part shade
- Ideal in pots
- Rich loamy well drained soil – potting mix with added compost
- Water well in hot conditions.
- Slow release fertiliser after first flowering period to encourage more flowers
- Prune back to 15-20cms in late autumn or winter to keep compact

Peperomia ferreyrae – Pincousin peperomia



Cultural Hints –

- Indirect sun to light shade
- Well drained soils
- Drought tolerant
- Water infrequently but water deeply when you do
- No fertiliser required

Argyranthemum frutescens - Marguerite Daisy



Cultural Hints –

- Full sun to part shade
- Most moist well drained soils
- Regular watering during spring and summer
- Liquid fertilise once per month to encourage better performance
- Prune off dead flower heads and trim foliage after bloom period to encourage bushier growth.

Cordyline



Cultural Hints –

- Full sun to part shade protected from strong winds
- Rich, well drained moist soils
- Water when surface area feels dry
- Tolerates dry conditions once established
- Slow release fertiliser in spring
- Liquid feed at half strength during growth period.