Vegetable Gardening
Spring Planting Schedule
for Southeastern Wisconsin

With an average frost free date of May 2 – 6th:

In Late March or Early April, sow seeds indoors of:
eggplant  head lettuce  cole crops:
celery    peppers    broccoli    cauliflower    early cabbage

In Mid- to Late April, sow seeds indoors of:
tomatoes

In Late April, sow seeds directly into the garden of:
beets    parsnips
carrots   peas
chard    potato tubers (seed pieces)
kohlrabi  radishes
leaf lettuce  spinach
mustard    turnips
onion sets

In Early May,
sow seeds indoors of:
squashes    pumpkins
melons       cucumbers

transplant plants into the garden of:
broccoli   head lettuce
early cabbage    onions
cauliflower    parsley

In Mid-May, sow seeds directly into the garden of:
beans        pumpkins
okra          sweet corn

In Late May, sow seeds directly into the garden of:
lima beans    cucumbers
brussel sprouts    summer squash
late cabbage    watermelon

In Late May or Early June, transplant plants into the garden of:
celery    winter squash    pepper
melons     tomato
pumpkins    eggplant
Late Season Planting Schedule

With an average first frost date of October 15th:

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For Further information:

UW-Extension publications (learningstore.uwex.edu):
- The Vegetable Garden (A1989)
- Growing Vegetables at Home (A2801)
- Vegetable Cultivars and Planting Guide (A1653)
- Disease Resistant Vegetables for the Home Garden (A3110)

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