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Week 2 – Gardening

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Word List

Voice: Female

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Welcome to today's short passage.

Short Passage

Voice: Male

Container gardens are the exception to the Feed the Soil rule above. It's not practical to use compost or garden soil in containers and so some supplemental feeding is necessary to keep the plants going. Containers also dry out more quickly than garden bed soil, especially if the bed is mulched. So start your container gardening season by adding some slow release fertilizer pellets and some polymer crystals that grab, hold and slowly release water to the plant roots. Add both at planting time. Both products are widely available at garden centers.

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Long Passage

Voice: Female, Accent

Before actually breaking ground, design a herb garden using simple organizational tips. Without a garden design, a herb garden is likely to fail. A sun loving herb will not thrive on a shady porch, and an herb that prefers shade, will never make it on a sunny windowsill. There is more to planting an herb garden than falling in love with a specific herb. Here is how to start a successful herb garden.

It is important that your herbs fit the growing environment that you have to offer. It is not essential to have a large farm, in order to produce a successful harvest. From a small windowsill, to a half acre or more, herbs will provide hours of enjoyment and delicious taste. The trick is to fit the right herbs to your available garden area.

With so many herbs to choose from, it is helpful to consider what type of herb garden you want to grow. Many gardeners decide to grow a multipurpose garden that can be



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both beautiful and delicious. Make a quick list of your 5 favorite herbs. Look at the list and see if they are all related to a specific theme. May be you find that your garden favorites are all manageable as an indoor garden. May be your favorites are all healing herbs. Once you narrow down your choices, you can then focus on finding the best specimens available.

Once you have your garden established it is important to continue to give it the best care you can. Although herbs are very forgiving, they will benefit from basic care. The easiest way to give your herbs the best care is to take 15 minutes every day to look over your garden. Seeing how it looks in the early morning and just before nightfall is another great way to ward off any problems.

Once your herb garden is planted and growing, it is important to keep it looking and growing its best. Adding organic nutrients is an important part of the whole gardening process. You can improve your soil, indoors and out, protect your herbs using safe insect sprays, and create a healthy environment for any herbs that you choose.

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