



# perennials by bloom time

The perennials listed below bloom for 2-4 weeks starting during the month under which they are listed unless otherwise noted

## APRIL

Ajuga (GC) (SV) ☼  
 Barrenwort (4-6 wks) ☼  
 Bearberry (GC) ☼  
 Bergenia ☼  
 Candytuft ☼  
 Ginger (GC) (2-4 wks) ☼  
 Helleborus (SV) (4-6 wks) ☼  
 Jacob's Ladder (SV) (4-6 wks) ☼  
 Lamium (GC) (SV) ☼  
 Leopard's Bane ☼  
 Phlox, Creeping (GC) (SV) ☼  
 Pulmonaria ☼  
 Viola (SV) (8-12 wks) ☼  
 Virginia Bluebells ☼

## MAY

Ajuga (GC) (SV) ☼  
 Akebia Vine ☼  
 Allium, Globemaster ☼  
 Anemone (SV) (4-6 wks) ☼  
 Baby's Breath (SV) (8-12 wks) ☼  
 Bleeding Heart (2-12 wks) ☼  
 Blue-Eyed Grass (6-8 wks) ☼  
 Brunnera ☼  
 Clematis (SV) (2-12 wks) ☼  
 Columbine ☼  
 Corydalis (8-12 wks) ☼  
 Dianthus (SV) (2-12 wks) ☼  
 Fairy Bells ☼

## MAY (continued)

Geum (SV) (6-8 wks) ☼  
 Goat's Beard ☼  
 Grass, Feather Reed (SV) (8-12 wks) ☼  
 Grass, Fescue ☼  
 Heucherella ☼  
 Honeysuckle Vine\* (SV) (4-12 wks) ☼  
 Ice Plant\* (GC) (SV) (4-8 wks) ☼  
 Iris, Dwarf Crested (GC) ☼  
 Iris, German Bearded ☼  
 Jacob's Ladder (SV) ☼  
 Lamium (GC) (SV) ☼  
 Lily of the Valley (GC) ☼  
 Mazus (GC) ☼  
 Myrtle (GC) ☼  
 Pachysandra (GC) ☼  
 Peony (SV) ☼  
 Phlox, Creeping (GC) (SV) ☼  
 Poppy, Oriental (1-2 wks) ☼  
 Poppy, Iceland (6-8 wks) ☼  
 Sandwort ☼  
 Solomon's Seal ☼  
 Spurge ☼  
 Strawberry, Ornamental (8-12 wks) ☼  
 Sweet Woodruff (GC) ☼  
 Viola (SV) (6-12 wks) ☼  
 Wisteria Vine (SV) (1-2 wks) ☼

## JUNE

Agastache (SV) (8-12 wks) ☀  
Ajuga (GC) (SV) ☀  
Armeria (4-6 wks) ☀  
Astilbe (SV)   
Baby's Breath (SV) (4-6 wks) ☀  
Bachelor Button ☀  
Balloon Flower (4-6 wks) ☀  
Baptisia ☀  
Bear's Breech ☀  
Bellflower\* (4-12 wks) ☀  
Betony (4-6 wks) ☀  
Blue Star Creeper (GC) (8-12 wks) ☀  
Blue Star\* (2-6 wks) ☀  
Calamint (8-12 wks) ☀  
Catmint\* (SV) (4-6 wks) ☀  
Clematis\* (SV) (2-12 wks) ☀  
Coneflower (SV) (4-12 wks) ☀  
Coral Bells (SV) ☀  
Coreopsis\* (SV) (4-12 wks) ☀  
Cupid's Dart (4-6 wks) ☀  
Daisy, Shasta\* (2-8 wks) ☀  
Daylily\* (SV) (2-12 wks) ☀  
Delphinium\* (4-8 wks) ☀  
Dianthus\* (SV) (4-12 wks) ☀  
Dutchman's Pipe Vine ☀  
Evening Primrose (4-6 wks) ☀  
Foxglove ☀  
Gaillardia (6-8 wks) ☀  
Gaura (6-8 wks) ☀  
Geranium (8-12 wks) ☀  
Geum (SV) (6-8 wks) ☀  
Honeysuckle Vine (SV) (8-12 wks) ☀  
Hosta (SV)   
Houttuynia (GC) ☀  
Hydrangea Vine, Climbing   
Ice Plant\* (GC) (SV) (2-8 wks) ☀  
Iris, Siberian ☀  
Jupiter's Beard (4-6 wks) ☀  
Lady's Mantle ☀

## JUNE *(continued)*

Lavender (6-8 wks) ☀  
Lily, Asiatic (SV) ☀  
Lupine ☀  
Milkweed, Swamp (8-12 wks) ☀  
Penstemon\* (SV) (2-6 wks) ☀  
Peony (SV) ☀  
Pincushion (8-12 wks) ☀  
Salvia (4-6 wks) ☀  
Sea Holly (4-6 wks) ☀  
Sedum (GC) (SV) ☀  
Shamrock, Strawberry (8-12 wks)   
Snow in Summer ☀  
Spiderwort\* (2-6 wks) ☀  
Spigelia (6-8 wks) ☀  
Thyme (GC) ☀  
Toadflax (GC) (6-8 wks) ☀  
Veronica\* (SV) (4-12 wks) ☀  
Yarrow\* (2-6 wks) ☀  
Wisteria Vine (SV) ☀

## JULY

African Lily (6-8 wks) ☀  
Agastache (SV) ☀  
Allium (SV) (4-6 wks) ☀  
Anemone\* (SV) (6-8 wks) ☀  
Aralia ☀  
Astilbe (SV)   
Bee Balm ☀  
Catmint (SV) (6-8 wks) ☀  
Clematis, Polish Spirit (4-6 wks) ☀  
Coneflower\* (SV) (2-12 wks) ☀  
Coral Bells (SV) ☀  
Crocasmia ☀  
Daylily\* (SV) (2-12 wks) ☀  
Hibiscus (6-8 wks) ☀  
Hollyhock (B) (4-6 wks) ☀  
Hosta (SV)   
Liatris (4-6 wks) ☀

## JULY *(continued)*

Lamiaeum (GC) ☀️ ☀️  
Ligularia (SV) 🌿  
Lily, Asiatic (SV) ☀️ 🌿  
Lily, Oriental ☀️ 🌿  
Liriope (GC) (SV) (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿 ☀️  
Lobelia (2-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Lychnis (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Milkweed, Butterfly Flower ☀️  
Moss (GC) 🌿 ☀️  
Obedient Plant ☀️ 🌿  
Oregano, Ornamental (4-6 wks) ☀️  
Penstemon (SV) (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Phlox, Garden\* (2-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Poker Plant (4-6 wks) ☀️  
Rudbeckia (8-12 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Russian Sage (8-12 wks) ☀️  
Sedum\* (GC) (SV) ☀️  
Stokes' Aster (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Sunflower (6-8 wks) ☀️  
Trumpet Vine ☀️  
Turtlehead (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Veronica\* (SV) (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Yucca ☀️

## AUGUST

Aster\* ☀️  
Cimicifuga (4-6 wks) 🌿  
Clematis, Sweet Autumn (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Goldenrod (4-6 wks) ☀️  
Grass, Perennial (SV) (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Hosta (SV) 🌿 ☀️  
Joe Pye ☀️ 🌿  
Ligularia (SV) 🌿  
Plumbago (GC) ☀️ 🌿  
Sedum (GC) (SV) ☀️  
Sedum, Upright (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Silver Lace Vine (6-8 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Toad Lily 🌿 ☀️

## SEPTEMBER

Anemone\* (SV) (2-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Grass, Perennial (SV) (4-6 wks) ☀️ 🌿  
Liriope (GC) (SV) ☀️ 🌿 ☀️

## OCTOBER

Daisy, Montauk (4-6 wks) ☀️  
Grass, Maiden, Morning Light ☀️ 🌿

(GC) = Ground Cover  
(B) = Biennial  
(SV) = Select Varieties

\* = Bloom time varies depending on variety. See our Plant Guide for more details.

- ☀️ **SUN** – These plants need at least 8 hours of direct sunlight.
- 🌿 **PARTIAL SHADE** – These plants need a minimum of 4 hours of direct sunlight and maximum of 8 hours. Avoid hot afternoon sunlight.
- ☀️ 🌿 **SHADE** – These plants need less than 4 hours of direct sunlight. Avoid hot afternoon sunlight.
- ☀️ 🌿 ☀️ **SUN-SHADE** – These plants can be grown in any light situation.

# long-blooming perennials

Following is a list of those perennials which have an extended bloom time. Remember that deadheading and cutting back the plant will extend the bloom time of many perennials.

## 4-6 WEEKS

|                   |                         |                       |
|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Allium (SV) ☼     | Daisy, Shasta (SV) ☼    | Lobelia ☼             |
| Anemone ☼         | Daylily (SV) ☼          | Lychnis (SV) ☼        |
| Armeria ☼         | Delphinium (SV) ☼       | Oregano, Ornamental ☼ |
| Astilbe (SV) ☼    | Dianthus (SV) ☼         | Penstemon (SV) ☼      |
| Balloon Flower ☼  | Evening Primrose ☼      | Phlox, Garden (SV) ☼  |
| Barrenwort ☼      | Geranium (SV) ☼         | Poker Plant ☼         |
| Bellflower ☼      | Goldenrod ☼             | Salvia ☼              |
| Betony ☼          | Grass, Perennial (SV) ☼ | Sea Holly ☼           |
| Blue Star (SV) ☼  | Helleborus (SV) ☼       | Sedum (GC) (SV) ☼     |
| Catmint (SV) ☼    | Hollyhock (B) ☼         | Sedum, Upright (SV) ☼ |
| Cimicifuga ☼      | Ice Plant (SV) (GC) ☼   | Spiderwort (SV) ☼     |
| Clematis (SV) ☼   | Jacob's Ladder (SV) ☼   | Stokes' Aster ☼       |
| Coneflower (SV) ☼ | Joe Pye (SV) ☼          | Sunflower ☼           |
| Coreopsis (SV) ☼  | Jupiter's Beard ☼       | Turtlehead ☼          |
| Cupid's Dart ☼    | Liatriis ☼              | Veronica (SV) ☼       |
| Daisy, Montauk ☼  | Liriope (GC) ☼          | Yarrow (SV) ☼         |

## 6-8 WEEKS

|                         |                       |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Blue-Eyed Grass ☼       | Hibiscus ☼            |
| Catmint (SV) ☼          | Ice Plant (GC) (SV) ☼ |
| Clematis (SV) ☼         | Lavender ☼            |
| Coneflower (SV) ☼       | Poppy, Iceland ☼      |
| Coreopsis (SV) ☼        | Silver Lace Vine ☼    |
| Daisy, Shasta (SV) ☼    | Spigelia ☼            |
| Daylily (SV) ☼          | Sunflower (SV) ☼      |
| Delphinium (SV) ☼       | Toadflax (GC) ☼       |
| Dianthus (SV) ☼         | Viola (SV) ☼          |
| Gaillardia ☼            |                       |
| Gaura ☼                 |                       |
| Geranium (SV) ☼         |                       |
| Geum ☼                  |                       |
| Grass, Perennial (SV) ☼ |                       |

## 8-12 WEEKS

|                          |                          |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Agastache (SV) ☼         | Honeysuckle Vine (SV) ☼  |
| Baby's Breath (SV) ☼     | Milkweed, Swamp ☼        |
| Bleeding Heart (SV) ☼    | Pincushion ☼             |
| Blue Star Creeper (GC) ☼ | Rudbeckia ☼              |
| Calamint ☼               | Russian Sage ☼           |
| Catmint (SV) ☼           | Shamrock, Strawberry ☼   |
| Clematis (SV) ☼          | Strawberry, Ornamental ☼ |
| Coneflower (SV) ☼        | Viola (SV) ☼             |
| Coreopsis (SV) ☼         |                          |
| Corydalis, Yellow ☼      |                          |
| Daylily (SV) ☼           |                          |
| Dianthus (SV) ☼          |                          |
| Geranium (SV) ☼          |                          |
| Grass, Feather Reed ☼    |                          |