'English Ivy' Hedera

A vigorous grower with strong, wiry stems covered in leaves. Ivy is usually grown as a trailing plant, but can easily be trained to climb a frame. There are many different ivy varieties, including plain green leaves and variegated with yellow, gold or white.

Sunlight: Bright light, but no direct sun. It thrives under fluorescent light. If variegated varieties change to mostly green, it isn't getting enough light.

Water: Keep soil evenly moist.

Humidity: Mist the often to keep leaves from drying out. Misting also helps to keep away spider mites that love to attack this plant.

Temperature: Cool to average room temperatures (50-70°F/10-21°C).

Feed: Feed monthly from spring through to autumn with a high-nitrogen liquid fertilizer.

Repotting: When the plant becomes top heavy, plant in a pot no bigger than 1 inch larger.

Top Tip: Keep this plant away from heat vents, which will dry out its leaves. It thrives with moist air and soil.

Caution: The leaves of this plant are poisonous if eaten. Keep it away from children and pets who may play with or chew on its foliage.





