

How to...

Plant a Hanging Basket



It is about time to be thinking about planting up your summer hanging baskets, here are a few tips to get you going.

Place your basket on a pot to keep it steady and put in a rigid liner or line the basket with moss if you prefer. If you are using a basket with a plastic liner cut some small holes in the plastic to allow drainage.

Put in a layer of **Mircale Gro Moisture Control Enriched Compost** and then cut 3 or 4 holes in the side of the lining to put the plants through, firming the compost around the roots.

Then add another layer of the compost mix and repeat the process until the basket has around a 3cm gap at the top.

Plant the top of the basket and water well.

Hang the basket outside when all risk of frost has passed. Water daily especially in warm weather. Feed every 2 weeks with a liquid fertiliser and remove any dead flowers to prolong the life of the basket.