








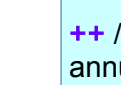

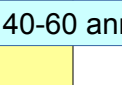

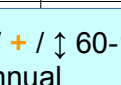






Quick Start Tutorial ... create your bumblebee garden within one year

The following table explains, when and under which conditions you should **sow** some flowers for bumblebees, when to **plant them outside** and when the flowers **bloom**. Preferably please grow 6-8 plants of each variety and plant them grouped.











name	picture	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Where to buy
Agastache  Agastache foeniculum & Agastache rugosa			20°C / I / 7 / LK			↔ 30 / T ○		++/0 / ↓ -100 perennial				www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Artichoke  Cynara scolymus		20°C / I / 15-20 / DK				↔ 100 / T ○			++/++ / ↓ -180 annual			www.marshalls-seeds.co.uk
Aster  Aster novi-belgii & Aster noveae-angliae			20°C / I / 14 / LK			↔ 80 / T ○				+ / + / ↓ 70-100 perennial		www.saatgut-vielfalt.de
Purple loostrife  Lythrum salicaria			○ 18 / LK / F					+ / + / ↓ -100 perennial				www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Borage  Borago officinalis			18°C / I / 7 / DK	○ / DK	↔ 40 / T ○ ●		++ / + / ↓ 40-60 annual					www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Scorpion weed  Phacelia tanacet.								++ / + / ↓ 40-60 annual				www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Cosmea  Cosmos bipinnatus				18°C / I 8-14 / DK		↔ 40 / T ○		+ / + / ↓ 60-120 annual				www.suttons.co.uk www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Dahlia Collar- Dahlia 			18°C / I 5-7 / DK			↔ 40 / T ○		x / + / ↓ 40-100 perennial not hardy				www.thompson-morgan.com www.suttons.co.uk
Moldavian dragonhead  Dracocephalum moldavica			18°C / I 7-21 / LK			↔ 20 / T ○		++ / ↓ -80 annual				www.zollinger.bio

Explanation:  Excellent flower for bumblebees

Sowing xx°C Temperatur for germination / I Indoor O Outdoor / # number of days until seedling appears / DK: Dark- or LK light germinator
F cold stratification

Plant outside: ↔ planting distance in cm / T for pots / ○ sun ● half shadow ● shadow

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
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Downy hemp-nettle ♀ Galeopsis segetum		○ direct seeding / LK F ○●						0/0 / ↓ 20-30 annual				www.bio-saatgut.de
Cornflower ♀ Centaurea cyanus			18°C / I / 15-20 / DK	○ direct seeding / DK	↔ 10 / T ○		+ / + / ↓ 60-80 annual					www.thompson-morgan.com www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Cowherb Vaccaria hispanica				○ T direct seeding / LK ○●			- / + / ↓ 60-80 annual					www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Maroccan flax Linaria maroccana				18°C / I / / LK	○ T direct seeding / LK ○		+ / + / ↓ 40-70 annual					www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Poppy ♀ Papaver rhoeas & Papaver somniferum		○ direct seeding / LK ○					- / + + / ↓ 40-100 annual					www.thompson-morgan.com www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Malope Malope trifida				○ T direct seeding / LK ○				x / + / ↓ -100 annual				www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Bee balm ♀ Monarda pectinata		20°C / I / 7 / LK					↔ 30 / ○	+ / + / ↓ 40 / annual				www.nickys-nursery.co.uk
Purple viper's-bugloss ♀ Echium plantagineum				18°C / I / 21-28 / DK			↔ 20 / ○	+ + / + + / 30-50 annual				www.selectseeds.com
Scabiosa Scabiosa atropurpurea			20°C / I / 7 / DK				↔ 30 / ○	+ / + + / 50-80 annual				www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Sunflower ♀ Helianthus annuus				○ T / 14-21 / direct seeding / DK ○				+ / + + / -240 annual				www.chilternseeds.co.uk www.shop.sativa-rheinau.ch

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Clary sage ♀ Salvia sclarea			15-20°C / I / 7-14 / LK			↔ 40 / T ○			++ / ++ / -100 annual or perennial			www.chilternseeds.co.uk www.thompson-morgan.com www.shop.sativa-rheinau.ch
Tagetes Tagetes patula				20-25°C / I / 7-21 / DK		↔ 30 / T ○		+ / x / 30-40 annual				www.chilternseeds.co.uk
Great honeywort ♀ Cerinthe major			20-25°C / I / -21 / DK			↔ 30 / T ○	++ / / 40-70 annual					www.chilternseeds.co.uk
balsam ♀ Impatiens glandulifera		O direct seeding / DK F ○●							++ / / -100 annual			www.plant-world-seeds.com

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