

Home
Guide



Make a
statement

Houseplants *made easy*

- Pet safe plants
- Quick reference
- The right plant for the right room



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Match the perfect plant for your home with our easy guide.

Hallway

Make a great first impression with these plants suitable for hallways.

- Dracaena (Dragon Tree)
- Indoor Ferns
- Kentia Palm
- Monstera (Swiss Cheese)
- Spathiphyllum (Peace Lilly)
- Zamioculcas (ZZ Plant)

Living room

Perfect for a shelf, coffee table or mantelpiece, turn your living room into a living space with these beautiful plants.

- Areca Palm
- Begonia
- Bromeliads
- Phalaenopsis (Moth Orchid)
- Sansevieria (Snake Plant Tongue)
- Schefflera (Umbrella Plant)
- Scindapsus (Devil's Ivy)
- Tradescantia

Aloes are great air purifiers!





Kitchen

These plants tolerate heat and humidity and some will also help purify the air of kitchen cleaning products!

- Aloe Vera
- Chlorophytum (Spider Plant)
- Dracaena (Dragon Tree)
- Nephrolepis (Boston Fern)
- Phalaenopsis (Moth Orchid)
- Sansevieria (Snake Plant)
- Scindapsus (Devil's Ivy)
- Stephanotis (Madagascar Jasmine)

Bedroom

Tolerating lower light levels and cooler temperatures, these plants will enhance your night time sanctuary. Some of them can help you sleep better as they purify the air!

- Aloe Vera
- Cacti
- Chlorophytum (Spider Plant)
- Dracaena (Dragon Tree)
- Gerbera (Barberton Daisy)
- Gardenia (Cape Jasmine)
- Sansevieria (Snake Plant)
- Scindapsus (Devil's Ivy)
- Spathiphyllum (Peace Lilly)
- Stephanotis (Madagascar Jasmine)

*Perfect
for a shelf*

Bathroom

These plants will thrive in well-lit bathrooms with high humidity. They can also help purify the air of cleaning chemicals.

- Aloe Vera
- Asplenium Fern
- Calathea
- Chamaedorea (Parlour Palm)
- Chlorophytum (Spider Plant)
- Indoor Ferns
- Spathiphyllum (Peace Lilly)



Pet-Safe plants

These houseplants are safe for cats and dogs, especially those that like to experiment with their diet!

- Areca Palm
- Bromeliads
- Chamaedorea
- Chlorophytum (Spider Plant)
- Maranta / Calathea
- Nephrolepis (Boston Fern)
- Phlebodium Fern (Rabbits foot fern)
- Tradescantia

Boston fern loves humidity



Houseplant reference

Aloe Vera

With its long succulent leaves, this architectural plant will make a feature in any bright room. A great air purifier, the sap also has medicinal properties.

Areca Palm

This graceful palm loves bright, direct sunlight and is consistently rated among the best houseplants for removing all air toxins. It also acts as an excellent air humidifier for dry, air conditioned offices.



Begonia

Offering either distinctive architectural leaf shapes or bright colourful flowers, begonias will thrive in a warm spot away from direct sunlight. Ideal for a living room or office.

Bromeliads

Make excellent houseplants with their vivid colours, unique shapes and low maintenance. They prefer bright, natural light and should be watered with soft or rain water, allowing it to naturally collect in the central vase of their leaves.

Cacti

Super easy to care for, these architectural plants love light and occasional watering. Ideal for adding a chic touch to a living space, bedroom or office, they're also popular with kids.

Calathea

The distinct leaf patterns are great for making a statement in any room. Keep them warm, humid and out of direct light and they thrive.

Chamaedorea (Parlour Palm)

An adaptable, easy to care for palm that will grow into a lovely specimen plant. A roomscaping classic, use it to add shape and colour or to soften hard lines in a room.

Chlorophytum (Spider Plant)

With its hanging leaves making a great air purifier, use this plant to add a splash of green in a kitchen or brighten up shelves stacked with files in your home or office.



Dracaena (Dragon Tree)

Not only giving the wow factor as a specimen, it also helps clean the air in your home. Thrives in a warm room in light shade near an east or west facing window.

Gerbera (Barberton Daisy)

With their bright, saturated colours, these plants know how to put a smile on your face! Keep their compost moist in a brightly lit room with some direct light and they'll keep the show going all summer.

Gardenia (Cape Jasmine)

Their fragrant white flowers make an ideal soft perfume for a bedroom. To flourish, keep the compost moist and place in a bright, warm room with an even temperature.

Indoor Ferns

Adding a touch of architectural green to shady rooms, many ferns are fantastic as natural air filters. Help them flourish by keeping their soil moist and they'll work hard to improve your air quality.

Kentia Palm

The wide fronds of this popular palm are great for roomscaping, adding shape and colour to a living space. Best in light shade with a well-drained compost, their roots don't like sitting in water for too long.

Monstera (Swiss Cheese Plant)

With its fabulous structure and large distinctive leaves, this popular plant will thrive in a bright hallway or lounge out of direct sunlight. If you want to grow it taller, push the aerial roots into the soil and give it a sturdy support. For best results, water thoroughly in the spring and summer and keep it dry over the winter.

Nephrolepis (Boston Fern)

First popularised during the Victorian era, this plant is considered one of the most efficient air purifiers! It prefers rooms with indirect light and humidity, making it perfect for the bathroom or kitchen.

Phalaenopsis (Moth Orchid)

A spectacular long flowering orchid that will enhance any living room or kitchen. Trim flower spikes back to two buds after flowering to encourage new flowers to form.

Phlebodium Fern (Rabbit's Foot Fern)

With its spectacular blue-green foliage, this fern is a good all round air purifier that's also pet safe. Low maintenance, it prefers indirect light or darker rooms with a moist soil.

Sansevieria (Snake Plant)

With its upright sword like foliage, this versatile plant looks great in any room. It's almost indestructible, surviving in all but the most demanding positions.

Schefflera (Umbrella Plant)

Super easy to care for and quick growing, this plant prefers a bright room out of direct sun.

Scindapsus (Devil's Ivy)

Fantastic trailing plant that performs well in a hanging pot or on a high shelf. Prefers in-direct light conditions and liberal watering in spring and summer. Water sparingly in winter.

Spathiphyllum (Peace Lilly)

A great air purifier, this distinctive popular plant thrives if kept damp and away from direct sunlight. Can also tolerate lower light levels so a good candidate for a hallway.

Stephanotis (Madagascar Jasmine)

This scented plant can help deter unwanted smells in kitchens. Needs constant cool conditions in the winter and an average warmth in the summer.

Tradescantia

Super easy to grow and care for, this pet safe plant flourishes in warm, bright rooms. Its cascading habit is ideal for hanging pots or a shelf. Occasionally pinch out growing tips to help keep it bushy.



Zamioculcas (ZZ Plant)

Whether it's a bright lounge or shady hallway, this plant is a great focal point and will thrive on neglect. Just remember to water it occasionally!

Did you know?

Most houseplants are natural air filters, improving the air quality in your home.

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