

GROWING HERBS

Toledo GROWs Best Practices— Tending a Garden

Guide to growing common herbs

Crop	Annual
Basil	Best to start with small plant Prune flowers often
Cilantro	Should be grown from seed as it does not handle transplanting well Prune flowers to promote leaf
Dill	Prefers to be grown from seed Technically a biannual, but is grown as an annual in areas with harsh winters
Parsley	Is a biannual, but has best flavor in the first year

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Crop	Perennial
Chives	Pinch off flowers as they bloom to encourage growth
Lavender	Make sure not to overwater Does best in full sun
Mint	Spreads prolifically; grow in large container to combat this Does best in full sun
Oregano	Is easily grown in containers Does best in partial shade
Rosemary	Doesn't do well in the cold, needs to be brought inside over the winter
Sage	Likes full sun Easily grown by cuttings; growing from seed can be difficult
Thyme	Very easy to care for, only requiring a small amount of pruning