

Pollinator friendly plants

Spring flower planting ideas			
Plant	Annual/perennial	Flowering period	Colours
Aubrieta	Perennial	March-May	Purple, pink
Bluebell	Perennial	April-May	Blue
Crocus	Perennial bulb	March-April	Purple, white, yellow
Grape hyacinth	Perennial	March, April, May (check variety)	Blue
Hellebore	Perennial	February—March	White, yellow, pink, purple
Lungwort	Perennial	March—May	Blue, pink white
Pieris	Perennial	March – May	White flowers, but colourful foliage
Primula vulgaris—native primrose	Perennial	December– March	Yellow
Winter Heather - Erica carnea	Perennial	Very long – check variety	Pink, white



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Summer flower planting ideas			
Plant	Annual/perennial	Flowering period	Colours
Allium	Perennial	Very long— check variety	Many
Aster	Annual or perennial	May - September	Many
Campanula	Perennial	June - August	Blue, white
Borage	Annual	June - September	Blue, white
Candytuft	Annual	May - September	White, pink, violet, purple
Dahlia	Perennial	July - October	Many
Fuchsia	Annual or perennial	July - October	Red, pink, white
Gaillardia	Perennial	June - September	Yellow, red, orange
Globe thistle	Perennial	July - September	Blue
Heather - Erica	Perennial	Very long – check variety	Pink, white
Heather -Calluna	Perennial	July – November, but check variety	Pink, white
Hollyhock	Annual or Perennial	June - August	Great variety
Jacob's ladder	Perennial	June - August	Blue, white, lilac



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Lavender	Perennial	June - September	Blue, purple, lilac
Lupin	Annual or Perennial	June - September	Many – check variety
Rudbeckia	Annual	July-October	Yellow, orange
Scabious	Annual or Perennial	June—October	Purple, lavender
Sea Holly	Perennial	July—September	Blue
Sneezeweed/ Helenium	Perennial	July—September	Yellow, red, orange
Stonecrop	Perennial	August—October	Red, pink
Snapdragon	Perennial	July—September	Many
Thrift	Perennial	May—July	Pink, red
Wallflower	Perennial	April—June	Many
Yarrow / Achillea	Perennial	July—September	Many

