

Water

How water enters and moves through soil is also important. Plant roots need water and oxygen to flourish and adequate watering is essential to ensure a bountiful harvest.



The garden should be located as close as possible to a water source. Carrying buckets or dragging a garden hose from a distant faucet is time consuming and awkward.

It is also helpful to have a nearby water source for washing hands and cleaning up garden tools. [Click here to link to Garden Design Watering Systems for more information.](#)