



SUCCESSION PLANTING CORN

More Sweet Corn All Season Long!



Plant a new block of corn every 2–3 weeks for a steady harvest from early summer to fall.



STEP	WHEN TO PLANT	WHAT TO DO	WHY IT WORKS	HARVEST TIME (Approx.)
1 FIRST PLANTING 	 Plant when soil temperature reaches 55°F (13°C) and all danger of frost is gone.	 Plant in blocks (4 or more rows) for good pollination.	Provides your first harvest of sweet corn. 	 About 65–80 days after planting (varies by variety).
2 SECOND PLANTING 	 Plant again 2–3 weeks after your first planting.	 Plant another block of corn.	Extends your harvest window by 2–3 weeks. 	 About 65–80 days after second planting.
3 THIRD PLANTING 	 Plant again 2–3 weeks after your second planting.	 Plant a third block of corn.	Keeps fresh sweet corn coming for several weeks. 	 About 65–80 days after third planting.
4 FOURTH PLANTING 	 Plant again 2–3 weeks after your third planting.	 Plant a final block if your season allows.	Gives you the longest possible harvest into late summer. 	 About 65–80 days after fourth planting.



TIPS FOR SUCCESS

- Plant in blocks (not single rows) for best pollination and fuller ears.
- Keep soil moist and fertile for strong growth.
- Choose varieties 65–80 days to maturity for best results.
- Stop planting 10–12 weeks before your first fall frost date.



EXAMPLE PLANTING SCHEDULE

PLANTING	TIME TO PLANT	HARVEST WINDOW (Approx.)
1st Planting	May 1	July 10 – July 25
2nd Planting	May 20	July 30 – Aug. 15
3rd Planting	June 10	Aug. 20 – Sept. 5
4th Planting	June 30	Sept. 10 – Sept. 25


 Dates are examples for the Willamette Valley and similar climates. Adjust for your area.