

How to Plan a Spring Garden

I. Introduction

A. The Hook:

1. Growing your own vegetables an edifying hobby
2. Grow instead of buy

B. Set up the thesis statement.

1. Gardening requires preparation

C. End introduction with the thesis statement.

1. Planning a spring garden requires sufficient space, minimal tools and supplies, and a desire to learn about the unique needs of each vegetable or fruit.

II. Body paragraph

A. Topic sentence:

1. Something about research and knowing what certain plants require
2. Give specific examples of plants and related needs

B. The remaining sentences of the paragraph will support the topic sentence.

1. Sun requirements
2. Watering
3. Mending soil for nutrients

III. Body paragraph

A. Topic Sentence:

1. Don't need to spend a lot of money

B. Supporting sentences

1. Basic tools (shovel, spade)
2. Helpful accessories (gloves, sun hat)
3. Location of hose for watering

IV. Body paragraph

A. Topic Sentence:

1. Compatibility of plants

B. Supporting sentences

1. Some plants are complementary to each other
2. Insects and deterrents
3. Plant examples and importance of researching specific needs

V. Conclusion

A. Reiterate the ideas in your thesis without repeating yourself.

1. Planning a spring garden takes time and effort
2. Make sure you have the right tools

B. End the essay with a final impression that reflects the theme of the paper.

1. Design and implementation of spring garden can be rewarding