



'Hope is Growing' Resources for planting your Hope Garden in 2021

Hope is Growing Webinar

Learn how your community can get involved in this exciting campaign. Across Canada and beyond, our goal is to see the land awash with gardens featuring yellow, the international colour of hope. Whether it's flowers, fruits, shrubs or vegetables – just plant the seeds! From parks to playgrounds, front yards, back yards, balconies, baskets, boulevards, barrels and planters, wherever there's an empty space to grow, there is room for a plant.

Just as people around the world took up gardening in record numbers in 2020, we expect to see a yellow wash of hope growing around every corner in 2021. After all, the garden is where Hope is Growing!

Watch the webinar:

<https://www.communitiesinbloom.ca/webinars/>

Plant Selection tips from Ball Horticultural Company

Hello, Yellow – All Season Long

<https://www.communitiesinbloom.ca/hello-yellow-all-season-long/>

Hot tips for the Cool Season – Freshen up Spring with these pops of colour

<https://www.communitiesinbloom.ca/hot-tips-for-the-cool-season/>

Tips on vegetable gardening (and growing yellow veggies!) from Scotts Canada & Miracle Gro

How to make a vegetable garden: <https://www.miraclegro.com/en-ca/library/edible-gardening/how-make-vegetable-garden>

Growing vegetables in containers: <https://www.miraclegro.com/en-ca/library/container-gardening/growing-vegetables-containers>

Growing Tomatoes: <https://www.miraclegro.com/en-ca/library/fruit-vegetable-herb/growing-tomatoes>

Growing Sweet Peppers: <https://www.miraclegro.com/en-ca/library/edible-gardening/growing-sweet-peppers>

Growing Carrots: <https://www.miraclegro.com/en-ca/library/edible-gardening/growing-carrots-delicious-and-crunchy>

Tips and Advice from Landscape Professionals

Plants – Benefits, Care, Encyclopedia, Resources:

<https://landscapeontario.com/plants>

Gardens – Style, Design, Favourites, Inspiration & Ideas

<https://landscapeontario.com/gardens>

Toronto Star ‘Hope is Growing’ Article by Mark and Ben Cullen, January 2021 – provides yellow plant suggestions:

<https://www.thestar.com/life/homes/2021/01/20/show-off-natures-best-shades-of-yellow-with-a-2021-hope-is-growing-garden.html?fbclid=IwAR0J5pqyVf-ggdqTv4wZVlk8K3G9KMmbj7bAojalXISenjfQBofFeGOlr3Q>

Resources from Nutrients for Life:

Elementary School Resources:

[https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/Fun with PNT-book1.pdf](https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/Fun%20with%20PNT-book1.pdf)

[https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/Fun with PNT-book2.pdf](https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/Fun%20with%20PNT-book2.pdf)

<https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/Understanding-Nitrogen.pdf>

<https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/Understanding-Phosphorus.pdf>

<https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/Understanding-Potassium.pdf>

<https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/reader-soilactivity-ELEMENTARY.pdf>

<https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/reader-underyourfeet-ELEMENTARY.pdf>

<https://nutrientsforlife.ca/pdf/reader-soilscience-MIDDLESCHOOL.pdf>

Teacher Resources – Games

<https://nutrientsforlife.ca/teaching-resources/games>