



## GRANGE SUPPLY'S

# GUIDE TO GROWING ONIONS

Onions can be grown from seeds, sets (small bulbs) or transplants.  
*Sets and transplants are easiest.*



**PLANTING:** Planting can begin in early spring as soon as the soil is workable. Soil should be loose, rich and well drained. If planting sets, push them just under the soil so the point of the bulb is visible. Sets and transplants should be spaced 4-5 inches apart (closer if you want to harvest as green onions).



**CARE:** Full sun & regular water. Onions have shallow roots and need moisture close to the surface. Feed plants regularly.



**HARVEST:** When most of the tops have begun to yellow and fall over, dig bulbs and let them dry on top of the ground for several days. Cover bulbs with tops to prevent sunburn. Once the tops and neck are fully dried, pull off the tops and remove dirt. Bulbs can be kept in a dark, cool space.

## 2016 VARIETIES

### TRANSPLANTS

(BUNDLES)



#### AILSA CRAIG

Very sweet yellow onion that can grow up to 8 inches in diameter. Stores for 1-2 months.



#### CANDY

Jumbo size onion. Very sweet & mild. Thick white flesh, good for onion rings. Early harvest & long storage life.



#### RED CANDY APPLE

Large flat red globe, widely used in Italian cooking. Shorter storage life.



#### REDWING

Red globe shaped onion with slight pungent flavor. Great for hamburgers. Stores for 8-10 months.



#### RINGMASTER

Globe shaped with white skin and flesh. Earlier harvest time, can be planted densely for great scallions or green onions.



#### YELLOW SPANISH

Great "all around" onion. Will grow to 6 inches. Stores for 4 months.



#### WALLA WALLA

Late maturing yellow onion with very sweet white flesh. 1 month storage.

**\*NW Favorite**

### SETS

(INDIVIDUAL BULBS)



#### RED WETHERSFIELD

Large globe shape with very thin reddish purple skin. White flesh is firm and tinged with purple. Good strong flavor.



#### YELLOW ROCK

Large flat onion with bronze yellow skin. Mild & sweet. Fast growing and great as an early season scallion.