



How to Grow and Care for the Tallest Hydrangeas

1. 📍 **Choose the Right Location:** Pick a spot with partial to full sun and well-draining soil enriched with compost.
2. 💧 **Water Consistently:** Keep the soil evenly moist, especially during hot months and the establishment phase.
3. 🌱 **Feed in Spring:** Apply a balanced, slow-release fertiliser to promote lush growth and vibrant blooms.
4. ✂️ **Prune by Variety:**
 - Panicle Hydrangeas – prune in early spring (new wood bloomer).
 - Climbing/Oakleaf – prune after flowering (old wood bloomer).
5. 🛡️ **Protect from Pests:** Monitor for aphids, spider mites, and mildew. Use neem oil or insecticidal soap if needed.
6. 🪜 **Support Taller Plants:** Use stakes or trellises for climbing types or large flowering panicles.
7. 🍁 **Prepare for Winter:** Add mulch at the base and use burlap if harsh frost is expected.