

Part sun – ornamental garden



SUN

Receives sunlight either in the morning or afternoon for at least three to six hours per day.



SOIL

This garden ideally contains rich soil which will hold moisture well. Add 5 cm [2 in] of organic matter (compost, manure, leaf mold) every two years. This will feed your plants, eliminating the need to fertilize, and increasing your plants' hardiness in the dry conditions of the summer months.



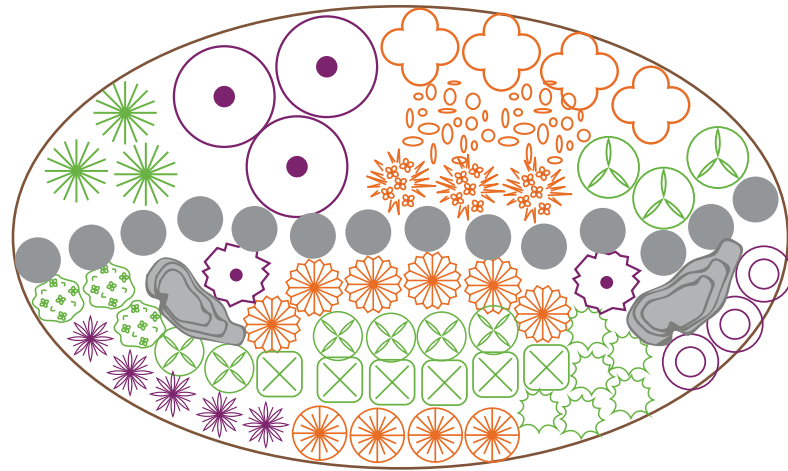
WATER

New plants may need extra watering until the roots are well established (one to two seasons).



GENERAL

These plants won't thrive in full sun or full shade; they prefer somewhere in between. If you've noticed areas of your garden where you thought it was sunny but your full-sun plants won't flower, or areas you thought to be shady but your shade plants are getting sunburnt, then it's probably an ideal area for a part-sun/part-shade plant. Don't hesitate to move your plants around if they aren't thriving in a certain light.



Helleborus spp.
lenten rose



Symphoricarpos spp.
snowberry



Tiarella cordifolia
foamflower



Acanthus mollis
bear's breeches



Pulsatilla spp.
pasque flower



Platycodon grandiflorus
balloon flower



Sisyrinchium spp.
blue-eyed grass



Scabiosa spp.
pincushion flower



Chelone glabra
white turtlehead



Thalictrum spp.
meadow rue



Epimedium spp.
barrenwort



Carex oshimensis 'Evergold'
variegated Japanese sedge



Deschampsia spp.
tufted hair grass



Cimicifuga racemosa
snakeroot



Symphyotrichum laeve
smooth aster

- Spring interest
- Summer interest
- Fall interest

- Stepping stones
- Ornamental rock