

PRESTIGE™

Buffalograss

Available in 98cp
6 trays/box
FOB: Sarasota, FL



Buffalograss is the only turfgrass native to the United States. Soft fine leaf blades form a thick turf and only grows 4 to 6 inches tall with a 6' to 8' root system. Prestige Buffalograss only uses 1/4 inch water per week. Spreads quickly and repairs itself. Mowing is not required.

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Measuring and Spacing:

multiply your square footage by.....
18 inches on center - multiply by .44
15 inches on center - multiply by .64
12 inches on center - multiply by 1.00
9 inches on center - multiply by 1.78
6 inches on center - multiply by 4.00

Reduced spacing should be used for areas subject to erosion, such as slopes, or when a quicker establishment is desired. Remove all debris, stones, vegetation, etc before you start. Do not expect the plugs to hide a rough grade. Be sure all areas drain properly. After final grade is complete, firm any loose soil by rolling or water and let soil settle. Rake smooth and start planting.

Watering

Water your new plugs immediately after planting, soaking each plug thoroughly with Miracle Gro 15-30-15 general purpose plant food, following label instructions. Keep the area wet for the first two weeks, then slowly reduce watering, but keep the ground moist. After the fourth week, soak the area once or twice per week until the plugs have completely covered the area. This additional watering will keep the plugs actively growing and spreading as quickly as possible. After this period, additional watering will depend on your natural rainfall and temperatures, as well as your soil type. Clay soil will require less water than sandy soil. Buffalograss is under stress when the grass blades wilt or the tips turn a purplish/brown color.

Fertilization

After installation is complete, saturate each plug with Miracle Gro general purpose fertilizer or fertilize the area with a sod starter fertilizer. Read and follow the directions on the label for proper rates and application.

Weed Control

Immediately after planting, apply a fertilizer with pre-emergent weed control following the label directions. Most garden centers will have these products or similar herbicides. Repeat this application at 1/2 rate in 8 weeks. In poor soil conditions or Southern climates a third fertilizer application, without pre-emergent, may be done in mid-summer and a fourth application can be applied in early fall.

Mowing

Mowing is important during the establishment period to encourage the buffalograss to spread and to control weed growth. Mow the area at 1 1/2 to 3 inches as frequently as necessary to control weed growth. If left un-mowed, your grass will reach a height of 3 to 8 inches, depending on your local climate. There is no set mowing height for buffalograss. Just mow to the look you desire.



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