



DAFFODIL HOOP PETTICOAT GROWING GUIDE



Common Name: DAFFODILS HOOP PETTICOAT

Botanical Name: Narcissus

Plant Type: Bulb **Size:** 25-40cm H 12-15cm W

Planting Time: Late December - May

Planting Width: 15cm

Depth: 10cm

Flowering: Autumn - early Spring

Positioning: Full sun, but tolerates some shade

General Information: Suitable for Mediterranean and temperate/dry climates. Daffodils will generally only flower from round mature bulbs. If you plant them too shallow they are prone to 'spilt up' into side bulbs too readily to reach maturity. Deeper planted bulbs appear to stay healthier, and split less frequently, thus producing more flowers for many years.

Watering: After planting the daffodils give them a thorough watering, but do not water again until the foliage starts to appear. Natural rainfall should be sufficient. Keep bulbs moist during dry spells in autumn and late spring. They do need water during their growth and flowering. Can tolerate frosts

Fertilising: After flowering has finished, apply light amount of blood and bone or complete plant food. If you have poor soil, sprinkle an all-purpose feed after flowering.

Soil: Well drained soil.

Lifting & Storage: Can be left to naturalise

Pests: Use a little snail bait regularly during growing period.

Tips: They look beautiful mass planted in the garden.