

# Houseplants



## *Do's*

- Grow in part sun or shade depending on species
- Move them around the house
- Mist them with water, ideally rainwater if possible to keep the humidity
- Nurture and enjoy them
- Read their requirements
- Give them natural light for best results
- Go big as large houseplants soften the home making big statements
- Water them from the bottom up allowing them to drink just what they need

## *Don'ts*

- Over water them, they prefer to be kept on the dry side between waterings
- Let them get too cold, most prefer above 10 degrees Celsius
- Be afraid to throw out a plant once it's passed its prime
- Forget to add style with your choice of pots, picking up on the colour of your furnishings
- Don't feel limited by small spaces as they come in all shapes and sizes
- Put them in direct sunlight as this will scorch most of them

*"When life gives you plants, make a jungle"*

# Which to Choose?



## MONSTERA DELICOSA

Commonly known as the Swiss Cheese Plant, it's great for a corner in any house. Monstera also has the ability to reduce air pollution in the house and is very easy to grow



## SENECIO ROWLEYANUS

Perfect for trailing over the edge of a bookcase or windowsill in a light situation. They will trail up to 3 feet long and really help soften straight edges in the home



## SUCCULENTS & ECHEVERIA

If you have a dry sunny position then succulents are perfect. They will tolerate dry conditions and come in a beautiful range of colours, perfect for a beginner



## DYPISIS LUTESCENS

These palms make a great centrepiece for tables or in the corner of a living room, kitchen or bedroom, great for adding a bit of drama and softening a room



## ALOE VERA

Well known for their many medicinal uses Aloes also make great houseplants. Place them on a light windowsill out of direct sunshine and they also help clean the air



## FERNS

If you're looking for something in a shady location with limited natural light then ferns are great. Bathrooms are perfect along with lots of other places, great for beginners



## SANSEVIERIA

Commonly known as 'Mother In Laws Tongue', they don't require a lot of water and grow best in bright filtered light. Their leaves are like no other so great for adding variety



## CACTI

Always a favourite with children they will grow with very little maintenance. Water monthly and place on a sunny window sill, available in a range of shapes and sizes



*Don't Forget Your Decorative Pots*