

CARING FOR YOUR NEW TREE

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WATER YOUR TREE WEEKLY

Depending on the type of soil, the drainage at the planting site, the type of tree, and the amount of rainfall received, water your tree every 7-10 days. You may need to water the tree multiple times a week in the summer months, especially if there is little to no rainfall.

Keep watering the tree from early spring through late fall.

A good rule is to apply 1 gallon of water for every square foot of surface area under the tree (one 5 gallon bucket).

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MULCH AROUND THE TREE

Mulch around the surface of the tree's roots immediately after planting to conserve soil moisture, moderate soil temperature, and minimize damage to roots. Be sure to regularly weed around your tree.

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