

HOUSEPLANTS: OUTLINE & BIBLIOGRAPHY

TOPICS

Advantages of houseplants for the home environment
Basics of care and feeding of houseplants
These plants will thrive— even for those with no green thumb!

- A. The Old Standbys — Christmas Cactus
 - Sanseveria —Mother-in-law's tongue
 - Philodendron —Pothos is a popular variety
- B. Cactus (singular) Cacti (plural) and Other Succulents
 - Aloe - interior of leaves is therapeutic for skin
 - Agave - size makes it suitable for patios or large rooms
- C. Blooming Houseplants - Personal Favorites
 - African Violets
 - Beefsteak Begonia
- D. Houseplants are easy to share

RESOURCES

BOOKS

- Linebaugh Library has those listed with a card catalog number.
 - *Illustrated Encyclopedia of Gardening Houseplants.*
American Horticultural Society.
An excellent general resource;
photos identify various plants.
 - *Gardening lab for kids. Starting a garden: fun experiments to learn, grow, harvest, make, and play.*
Brown, R.
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 - *Hardy Succulents: tough plants for every climate.*
Kelaidis, G.
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 - *How not to kill your houseplants: survival tips for the horticulturally challenged.*
Peerless, V.
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- *Ortho's complete guide to successful houseplants.*
Powell, C.
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 - *Happy houseplants : 30 lovely varieties to breathe new life into your home.*
Staehling, A.
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 - *Houseplants: the complete guide to choosing, growing, and caring for indoor plants.*
Steinkopf, L.
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 - *Houseplant party: fun DIY projects & growing tips for epic indoor plants*
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