

How Much Should You Water Your Lawn This Summer?

Summer heat puts serious stress on your lawn, causing soil to lose water faster than any other season. To keep your grass healthy, water each full-sun zone for approximately one hour per week. Proper seasonal watering is one of the most critical factors in maintaining a thriving lawn—and getting it wrong is one of the costliest mistakes homeowners make.

Our Recommended Summer Watering Schedule:

- Standard Sprinklers: Water twice per week in three 10-minute cycles (2 AM, 4 AM, and 6 AM)
- Shaded Areas: Reduce watering by 50% or more for heavily shaded sections
- Rotary Head Sprinklers: Increase to 15 minute run times (90 minutes per week)
- Drip Systems: Run for 10 minutes daily to maintain consistent soil moisture

Why This Schedule Works for North Texas

This carefully designed watering approach:

- Allows water to penetrate deeply into our clay-heavy North Texas soil
- · Encourages deeper root growth for drought resilience
- · Prevents water waste through runoff
- · Minimizes evaporation by watering during early morning hours

Drip Systems - Monitor and Adjust:

Because drip systems vary in flow rates, regularly check your garden beds to ensure proper moisture levels. Adjust timing if you notice consistently dry or overly saturated areas.

Year-Round Watering: The Foundation of Lawn Health

Consistent, season-appropriate watering is the cornerstone of a thriving North Texas lawn. Summer watering is especially critical—preventing drought stress that weakens roots and leaves grass vulnerable to disease and pests. Following our seasonal watering recommendations year-round builds a resilient lawn that can handle North Texas's extreme heat, dry spells, and unpredictable weather

Trust Village Green's 45 years of local expertise to keep your lawn healthy and your home pest-free!



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