



# FALL WATERING GUIDE

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## How Much Should You Water Your Lawn This Fall?

In fall, your soil loses about ½ the water it loses in the summer, so the easiest thing to do is to set the controller to only one day per week with three 10-minute bursts. 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 Fall Watering Schedule:

- **Standard Sprinklers:** Water once 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 5 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. 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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