



PREP GUIDE

STEP-BY-STEP

1. CLEAR THE SITE of any and all debris, including rocks and sticks.
2. ROUGH GRADE the entire area to prevent drainage problems and sloping from buildings.
3. INITIAL TILLING of at least four to six inches is recommended. This should be done before adding any topsoil and will allow for adequate water movement.
4. ADD TOPSOIL if your soil is not very nutritional, up to 4 inches in depth.
5. TEST THE SOIL PH with a chemical soil test to determine if any pH changes are necessary. Acidic soils (pH of 6 and below) can be improved with the addition of lime. The type of lime and amount can be determined by the level of acidity.
6. APPLY "STARTER FERTILIZER" such as a 10-10-10 or 13-13-13, and lime, if necessary, to the soil and till that into the soil before laying the sod.



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7. FINISH GRADE the entire site, maintaining the rough grading contours and slopes.
8. ROLL THE AREA with a lawn roller to firm and settle the soil on the surface. Low spots that are revealed should be filled in.
9. THE SITE IS NOW READY FOR TURFGRASS SOD. Remember to water the sod as you lay it!

“The beauty is in the blades, but the action is in the roots,” is a good adage to remember when growing grass.

For optimum growth, turfgrasses need water, sunlight, air and nutrients. Reduce any of these and the plant may suffer and die. In the right proportions, the grass will flourish and provide a beautiful landscape that will last and benefit the environment.



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