

HOW TO MAKE A GARDEN RAISED BED?



Three 4x10 raised garden bed could easily feed summer veggies to a family of three with between 20 to 30kg of leafy vegetables and some roots vegetables.

Step 1 - Gather tools and materials you need

- compact drill
- measuring tape, pencil, staple
- mitre saw or circular saw unless you find the wood already cut to the good length or someone can do it for you
- 2" deck screws
- 4 x 2x10x48 (non treated wood)
- 4 x 2x10x120 (non treated wood)
- 10 x 2x4x20 (non treated wood)
- weed fabric



Step 2 - Call resourceful and smily friends



You will need to be at least 2 people to assemble your bed, 4 people would be the best!

Step 3 - Assemble the short sides with reinforcement



- take two 2x10x48 and two 2x4x20
- screw in place the small pieces on the edges of the long pieces - this will be the short side exterior or on the bed
- you will need 4 screws for each side (red dots)

Step 4 - Assemble short sides to long sides



Step 5 - Reinforce the long sides



- take three 2x4x20
- screw in place each small pieces about 33" from the edge and each others
- you will need 4 screws for each

Your bed is almost ready for soil!



Step 6 - Stapple in weed fabric



You're done! It's ready to be fill with soil!

We recommend the City of Whitehorse blend mix which consist of 70% compost and 30% sand.

