

Okanogan County Gardening Information for New Residents

	Valleys (Okanogan, Omak, Tonasket, Oroville)	Mountains (Chesaw, Twisp, Winthrop)
USDA Zone*	5	4
Sunset Western Garden Book Zone†	2a	1a
Average Annual Minimum Temperature*	-10 to -20 degrees F -26 to -29 degrees C	-20 to -30 degrees F -29 to -34 degrees C
Approx. Length of Growing Season (days)*	150	120
Average Last Frost Date (Spring)*	May 15th	June 1st
Average First Frost Date (Fall)*	Oct 1st	Sept 15th

*Info taken from WSU Publication EB0422 - "Home Gardens", available at the WSU Okanogan County Extension Office, Okanogan County Courthouse, Rm. 101. For more information call (509) 422-7245.

†Info taken from Sunset Western Garden Book, Sunset Publishing, Menlo Park, California, 2001.

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