Plant Care Guide

Taking care of plants is an incredibly rewarding experience. Here’s some additional information to accompany the video that might help you in better caring for your house plants!

The follow is some clarification on terminology you might find on your plant tag:

**LIGHT**
Direct (bright): full sunlight for 6+ hours per day.
Indirect (partial): diffuse sunlight for 3-6 hours of the day. Avoid direct sunlight.
Low (shade): shady conditions, but some indirect light (less than 3 hours) is welcomed.

FYI: “full shade” does not mean a plant can survive in a windowless room. All plants require sunlight!

**WATERING**
Low: once every 2 weeks, or when most of the soil is dry.
Moderate: once a week, or when first 1-2 inches of top soil has dried out.
High: 2-3 times a week, when top soil has dried out.
Misting: use to produce humidity and to help clean the leaves.

**MAINTENANCE**
Humidity: some tropical plants do well when the leaves are misted.
Leaf care:
• Wipe both side of leaves with a soft damp cloth monthly.
• Prune away leaves that are yellowed, browned, or withering.
Fertilizer:
• Generally only needed every 1-2 weeks during the “growing months” = spring and summer.
• A liquid variety works well for most indoor plants.

Plants love CONSISTENCY!

Consistency in:
- Frequency of watering
- Amount of watering
- Temperature
- Light
- Feeding of fertilizer
- Humidity

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Use the page below to create a little reference guide for your house plants, simply fill in the blanks:

Plant name: ______________________________

How often does it require watering (& fertilizer):
- In the summer: ________________________
- In the winter: _________________________

Requirements for:
- Light: ______________________________
- Temperature: ________________________
- Humidity: __________________________

Additional Notes:
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