

# Mowing Tips



Proper mowing plays a significant role in the health of your lawn. Raise your mower blade in the summer. Taller grass is more drought-tolerant, grows deeper roots, and helps shade the earth to prevent weed seeds from germinating. Cool-season grasses should be mowed at 3"- 4" during the summer, or as high as your blade will go.



Mulching grass clippings helps keep moisture levels steady as well as returning organic matter to the soil. Mow regularly, to prevent cutting more than 1/3 of the grass blade at a time. This keeps your grass healthier and prevents the clippings from smothering the grass. Keep mower blades sharp. Make sure your mower is cutting your grass, not tearing it, to minimize damaging the turf.

