



HELLO, MY NAME IS

# Emerald Ripple Peperomia

PEPEROMIA CAPERATA

## Get to know me

I'm from the rainforests of Brazil,  
I'm only little, about 20cm tall  
when fully grown. My flowers  
aren't particularly spectacular but  
my foliage is! Not only do I look  
great but I'm a team player too;  
what I mean is I won't poison your  
pets if they eat me.

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## What I like

### POSITION



I like bright but indirect light. So near a south-facing window would be great. I also do really well under artificial light so I'm happy to hang out at the office!

### TEMPERATURE



I like warm, humid places. Maybe chuck a pebble tray under me.

### WATER



Low water in winter please and moderate in the warmer months. Best to let the top centimeter or two of soil in my pot to dry out before watering me again.

### FERTILIZER



A soluble fertilizer formulated for indoor plants applied monthly at half strength is all the fertilizer I need through the growing season. Don't worry about fertilizing me through autumn and winter.

### RE-POTTING



I shouldn't really need repotting but if you do please do so in the spring months. I like a light free draining soil so that my roots can get plenty of air. A good quality potting mix with a bit of extra perlite would be awesome.

## What I don't like

### WET ROOTS



I don't like the cold (anything  $<15^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) and I hate to stay wet, as my roots are susceptible to rot.