

## miei.'s “Hard to Kill” Indoor Plants List

At miei. we love indoor plants!

We have tried and tested most of the many plant options in varying environments and conditions and below is our list of favourite “hard to kill” indoor plants. We’re pretty confident even someone with a black thumb could keep them alive.

2 key rules to remember:

1. No Direct Sun
2. No overwatering

\* if you don't have a self-watering pot or are using the terracotta plant watering stakes, we recommend conducting a finger test regularly to understand the state of your plant’s soil in your environment the first few weeks

Our plant list below with images covers:

- Flower options
- Small/desk options
- Large options

Our quick guides table will help indicate:

- Which plant thrives in low/med/high indirect sunlight
- Watering frequency
- Pet friendly options
- Whether they require annual plant food
- Which plant also works as air purifiers

If you’ve got a plant question you need assistance with, you can either call or send us an email with an image and one of our team members will be more than happy to assist you.

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## Flower Options

	Indirect Sunlight		Watering		Pet Friendly	Annual Plant Food	Air Purifier
	Low	Med/High	Wkly	When dries			
<p><b>Bromeliad</b> This tropical stunner is hardy, easy to grow, requires minimal attention and have long-lasting blooms with air purifying abilities.</p>	X			X	X		X
<p><b>Peace Lily</b> This plant is very expressive and <i>shows</i> you when it needs water (all the arms of it just flop down) and once you give it water, it springs straight back.</p>	X		X				X
<p><b>Phalaenopsis Orchid</b> This beautiful long-lived flowering pot plant adds style and grace to any indoor setting. They are available all year round with flowers that last for months. Repotting is required when the bloom is finished with fresh orchid mix.</p>					X		
<p><b>Anthurium</b> This gorgeous and lush beauty is hardy, easy to grow, requires minimal attention and have long-lasting blooms. They thrive in bright, indirect sunlight with soil to be free draining but holds water.</p>		X		X			X

**Bromeliad**



**Peace Lily**



**Phalaenopsis Orchid**



**Anthurium**



## Small Space Options

These options can either be grown as hanging, in baskets, pots or glass vases. These options are great if you don't have a lot of floor spaces but still love to bring the outside in.

	Indirect Sunlight		Watering		Pet Friendly	Annual Plant Food	Air Purifier
	Low	Med/High	Wkly	When dries			
<p><b>Boston Fern</b> Unlike other fern, this is the most popular of all ferns grown indoors and has been found to be one of the easiest to care for and maintain.</p>	X		X				X
<p><b>Pothos &amp; Ivy</b> This attractive evergreen vine, durable and easy-to-grow vine plant can survive in low light, irregular watering and can withstand high temperatures. They're also said to be among the best indoor plants for air purification.</p>	X			X			X
<p><b>Syngonium</b> This plant thrives in bright indirect light but will tolerate low light settings. Water the soil thoroughly and wait for the water to drain through, then empty any excess water sitting in the saucer. Allow the top 3-5cm of soil to dry out before watering again.</p>		X		X			X
<p><b>Spider plants</b> You'll love how forgiving this plant is as it is considered one of the most adaptable of houseplants and the easiest to grow. It can grow in a wide range of conditions and suffers from few problems, making it ideal for beginner gardeners. It likes to dry out completely in between watering and placed in well-drained soil.</p>	X			X	X		X

<p><b>Terrariums</b> Bring the outdoors in with a beautiful fern or succulent arrangement or a miniature bonsai tree that survive in low light and low maintenance.</p>	X			X (Spray)	X		
<p><b>Air Plants</b> These clever little plants don't need soil to grow. Instead, they'll attach themselves to things like trees or rocks so you can pop them in a hanging terrarium or sit them in a dish or on an ornament and let 'em grow! As the name suggests, these plants need lots of air to thrive so don't overcrowd them. Protect them from full sun and mist once or twice a week with a spray bottle. Soak them in water every few weeks then pop them back in their happy place.</p>	X		X (Spray)		X		
<p><b>Lucky Bamboo</b> This plant have a well-earned reputation to be super hardy and nearly indestructible. It thrives in low light and neglect so can be pop up in offices, on desks, in businesses, and in homes pretty much everywhere.</p>	X			X	X		
<p><b>Ox Tongue</b> This plant prefers dryer conditions that can tolerate more shade than most succulents, making it ideal for indoors.</p>	X			X	X		

**Boston Fern**



**Pothos / Ivy**



**Syngonium**



**Spider Plant**



**Terrariums**



**Air Plants**



**Lucky Bamboo**



**Ox Tongue**



## Large Plant Options

	Indirect Sunlight		Watering		Pet Friendly	Annual Plant Food	Air Purifier
	Low	Med/High	Weekly	When dries			
<p><b>Philodendron</b> The plant likes low light and to be on the dry side.</p>	X			X	X		X
<p><b>Monstera Deliciosa</b> This gorgeous low maintenance plant is suitable for any room of the home. Keep out of direct sunlight and only needs weekly watering.</p>	X		X		X		
<p><b>ZZ Plant (Zamioculcas zamiifolia)</b> This plant can thrive anywhere and is the king of the indestructible plants because it can tolerate the dangerous trifecta of plant-killers: drought, low light, and really low humidity.</p>	X			X	X		
<p><b>Cast-iron Plant</b> This beauty lives up to its name, surviving low light, poor-quality soil, spotty watering, and a wide range of temperatures. The dark-leaved stunner likes to be left alone, so don't be too attentive.</p>	X			X	X		
<p><b>Mother-In-Law's Tongue</b> This minimal maintenance plant only requires watering when soil is dry and transplant when it has outgrown its pot. It can go for almost a month without watering so do-not overwater.</p>	X			X	X		X

<p><b>Aloe</b> - Has many health benefits such as helping with insomnia and air purification, we just love this hardy and beautiful plant. Treat it in the same way as any cactus plant — keep watering to a minimum and ensure there are plenty of drainage holes in the pot.</p>		X		X			X
<p><b>Jade Plant</b> This is one super hardy plant! It can tolerate a lot, including infrequent watering and strong sun, and is said to be a lucky tree or money tree.</p>		X		X	X		X
<p><b>Fiddle Leaf Fig Plant</b> Keep this beauty out of direct sunlight and avoid over watering (it can go almost all winter without any water).</p>	X			X	X		
<p><b>Umbrella Plant /Kentia Palm</b> This plant prefers dry soil to wet so go easy on watering. It doesn't require fertilising but you can give it some to promote growth</p>	X			X	X		
<p><b>Rubber Plant</b> Also known as a Ficus Elastica, this beautiful deep green glossy leaves is easy to keep alive. This plant enjoys bright indirect sunlight. When it comes to watering, you can water it 1-2 times a week during summer months and only 1-2 times a month during winter months.</p>		X	X		X		X
<p><b>Dracaena</b> One of the most common indoor plants and for good reason – it's easy to care for, has impressive spiky tropical foliage, and helps to purify air. This plant thrives in warmer conditions and prefers lower light conditions.</p>	X			X			X

**Philodendron**



**Monstera Deliciosa**



**Zamioculcas  
Zamiifolia**



**Cast-Iron Plant**



**Mother-In-Law's  
Tongue**



**Aloe**



**Jade Plant**



**Fiddle Leaf Plant**



**Umbrella Plant**



**Rubber Plant**



**Dracaena**



**Kentia Palm**

