

When should I plant ornamental grasses?

Ornamental grasses are best planted in the spring of the year in Southern Illinois. It is important to establish the plants before the heat of summer.

If you do choose to plant during the late summer period, be sure to use container-grown plants. They should establish during the summer period as long as they are watered on a regular basis. Another advantage of spring planting is greater availability of grasses through the local garden center.