



What kind of light does my arrangement need?

Orchids need bright indirect light in order for the buds to open. A blooming orchid will be fine in an interior room with artificial light however immature buds may not open.

What temperature is best for my orchid?

The best temperature is between 60°F to 80°F.

When should I water my orchid?

Water the orchid when it is nearly dry. This may take a week to 10 days or longer depending on the potting medium, temperature, and light conditions in your home or office.

How do I water my orchid arrangement?

Method 1: Immerse the pot in a container of lukewarm water just to the rim of the pot for 10 seconds. Remove and let drain.

Method 2 –Run a little lukewarm water around the plant being careful not to get water on the leaves and in the crown of the plant where the leaves come together. This can lead to crown rot in a Phalaenopsis (orchid).

When do I fertilize my orchid?

Orchids should be fertilized once a month, when not in bloom, with fertilizer formulated for orchids.

How do I get my orchid to re-bloom?

Most orchids need cool nights and warm days to force a new bloom spike. Place your plant where it can receive a 20° temperature change of between 55°F and 75°F for four weeks.

How do I know when to repot my orchid?

Orchids should be repotted when there are more roots growing outside the pot than are growing inside the pot.

Things orchids do not like:

- Wet leaves
- Over-watering
- Cold draughts
- Placement near a heat source
- Strong sunlight
- Dry stuffy air

- Do not leave your orchid in the car when the temperature outside is below 50°F or above 80°F.