

Rail City Garden Center

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Poinsettia Care

Ideal temperatures for poinsettias are 60-70 degrees during the day and no less than 55 degrees at night.

Do not remove the foil wrapping from the pot, as it insulates the plant.

Do not place near doors or other draft prone areas. Exposure to low temperatures, even for a few minutes can damage the bracts and leaves.

Do not place poinsettia to severe heat.

Gently remove any faded flowers and dead leaves.

Indirect light is best for your poinsettia.

Check the moisture of the soil daily. Water poinsettia <u>ONLY</u> when the soil is dry. Drain any excess soil from saucer or foil immediately to prevent root rot.