



The
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GARDEN COMPANY

The Planning Process

Transforming a garden is an investment in your home and your well-being. To make the process as smooth as possible, we break our design journey into four clear stages. This ensures you're always in the loop regarding both the design and the budget.

Stage 1: The Initial Consultation

Every garden starts with a conversation. We'll visit your space to discuss your vision, how you use the garden (be it for entertaining, kids, or quiet contemplation), and your preferred style. A short questionnaire will be sent to you prior to our visit, this will help shape our conversation.

- **What you get:** A follow-up "Design Brief" summarising our discussion, including initial mood board images, and a fixed-price quote for the design stages.
- **Timeframe:** 1 hour on-site.

Stage 2: Site Survey & Analysis

Before we can draw, we need to measure. We conduct a thorough survey of the existing garden, including levels, soil health, sun orientation, and existing features.

- **What you get:** An accurate scale drawing of your garden as it stands today.
- **Timeframe:** 2–4 hours on-site.
- **Cost:** **From £250** (*Price varies depending on garden size*).

Stage 3: Concept Design & Moodboards

This is the "big ideas" phase. We'll present two or three different layouts for your garden, showing how we can use the space creatively.

- **What you get:**
 - Initial 2D layout sketches.
 - A "Moodboard" featuring materials, textures, and style inspiration.
 - A mid-way review meeting to pick your favorite elements. (1-2 hours)
- **Cost:** **£250** (*Price varies depending on garden size*).

Stage 4: The Final Master Plan

Once you've approved the concept, we refine it into a detailed Master Plan. This is the blueprint that contractors will use to build the garden.

- **What you get:**
 - To scale 2D Master Plan.
 - A 3D perspective sketch (so you can see the finished result).
 - An outline specification of materials (paving, timber, etc.).
 - A worksheet detailing the works required.
 - Specified planting for trees and larger shrubs.
 - A plant list of additional plants.
- **Cost: £500 (Price varies depending on garden size).**

Optional Add-on: The Planting

We prefer to layout and plant your garden ourselves, allowing us to adjust the planting when in the garden. This creates a more unique and intimate feel to the planting.

- **What you get:**
 - Improvement to the soil to increase the health of the planting.
 - All plants purchased and delivered to site.
 - Plant layout and planting of the garden.
 - Full mulch of the borders to complete the initial build.
- **Cost: £250 (plus cost of plants) (Price varies depending on garden size and quality of existing soil).**

Summary of Costs

Stage	Focus	Estimated Cost
01	Consultation	Free
02	Survey	From £250
03	Concept Design	From £250

04	Master Plan	From £500
05	Planting	From £250
Total	Full Design Package	£1250