Healthy Lawn Care

Benefits

Healthy lawns resist pests and disease better. They need fewer chemical inputs to thrive, so there's less chance of pollution!

Tips

Keep grass 3 inches tall- always mow with a sharp blade & don't mow more than a third of its height.



Make sure your lawn gets 1-1.5" of water every three days, either by rain or watering.

Mulch in leaves and grass clippings- free fertilizer! Sweep of up any that get in the street.



Test your soil before adding chemical fertilizer-if you need it, apply in early fall (after aeration).

You can easily stick a pencil into a healthy lawn- if you can't, it's time to aerate.



Use a core aerator and do it in the late summer or early fall.



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