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Maximize your garden's health and productivity with this herbal companion planting chart. Discover which herbs grow best together and how they can deter pests, improve flavor, and enhance soil quality.

Companion Planting Pairs

- Basil: Plant with tomatoes to repel pests and enhance flavor.
- Chives: Pair with carrots to deter aphids and improve growth.
- Dill: Grows well with cucumbers and attracts beneficial insects like ladybugs.
- Mint: Plant near cabbage to repel whiteflies and cabbage moths (keep it contained to prevent spreading).
- Rosemary: Pair with beans to deter bean beetles and improve growth.
- Thyme: Plant with strawberries to repel worms and improve ground cover.

Herbs to Avoid Planting Together

- Fennel: Avoid planting near most herbs and vegetables as it can inhibit their growth.
- Mint: Avoid planting directly with other herbs as it can overtake the space.

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Benefits of Companion Planting

- Natural Pest Control: Herbs like basil and dill repel harmful insects, reducing the need for pesticides.
- Improved Soil Health: Herbs like clover and comfrey can improve soil quality through nitrogen fixation and organic matter.
- Better Flavors: Some herbs enhance the flavor of nearby vegetables (e.g., basil with tomatoes).
- Increased Pollination: Flowering herbs attract bees and other pollinators to your garden.

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