Front Yard Succulent Layout Plan

Design a stunning, fast-draining curb appeal garden tailored to your space.

Transforming your curb appeal is completely doable. Use this layout plan to prepare fast-draining soil, position anchor boulders naturally, and plant a stunning modern garden.



Key Garden Specs

12 in
Mound height for essential drainage

50%
Pumice ratio for soil aeration

1/3 deep
Depth to bury anchor boulders

2 ft
Buffer off pedestrian walkway edges

14 days
Between deep watering sessions initially

10 degrees
Below average winter low rating

Tilt Crowns to Drain

Always tilt crowns to drain slightly when placing architectural rosettes. This subtle angle allows heavy rain to run harmlessly off leaves, preventing dangerous pooling and fungal infections.

Boulder Spacing & Depth

Find your row: **Your boulder size**

Your boulder size	Your pick	Why
Small boulder	18 in spacing gap	Bury base 4 inches deep
Medium boulder	24 in spacing gap	Bury base 6 inches deep
Large boulder	36 in spacing gap	Bury base 8 inches deep

Site Checks & Prep

- [ ] Assess concrete paths and driveway edges to determine true planting boundaries.
- [ ] Document daily shadow patterns to reserve harsh western exposures for rugged agaves.
- [ ] Verify your USDA hardiness zone using your local zip code before shopping.
- [ ] Inspect nursery pot drainage holes for firm, white roots to ensure health.
- [ ] Excavate soil from walkway borders to build the core of your mounds.

Layout Grid & Notes

Enjoy your beautiful, water-wise garden that perfectly complements your home's unique architecture!