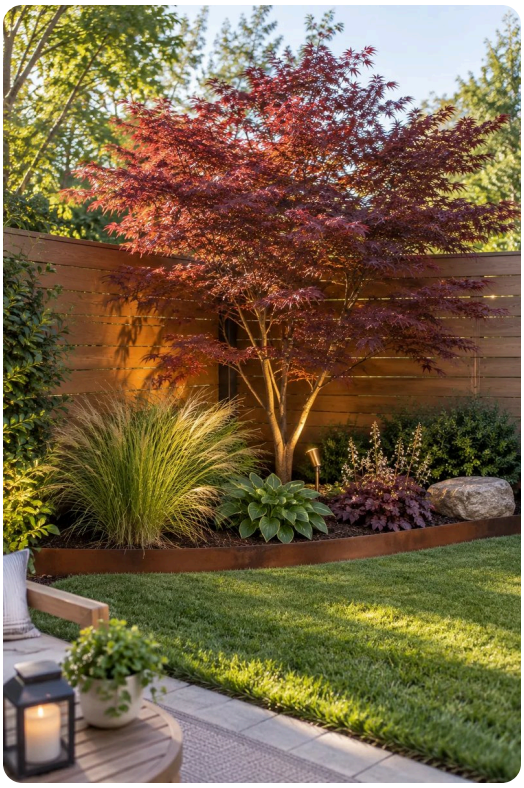
Corner Planting Layout Guide

Map out and build a perfectly proportioned modern landscape bed.

Transform awkward yard angles into a lush focal point. Use these precise measurements to build a healthy, vibrant corner garden.



Key Corner Dimensions

18-24 in
Empty shadow gap in deep apex

72 in
Max depth for bold sweeping arc

1 in
Crisp steel edging above soil line

45 degrees
Uplight angle to add depth

4 in
Depth to trench electrical cable

Amend the Soil

Work three inches of rich organic compost into the native soil to provide the vital nutrients your new anchor tree requires for healthy, vigorous feeder roots.

Installation Steps

1. **Irrigate the border** Install a half-inch drip line along the front to provide consistent moisture without fungal diseases.
2. **Install steel edging** Bury corten steel edging deeply and hammer the included anchor stakes at alternating angles.
3. **Mulch the bed** Apply a 2-inch layer of dark shredded bark mulch, keeping it away from plant stems.
4. **Prune for density** Lightly shear outer branch tips of evergreen shrubs immediately after planting to encourage lateral branching.
5. **Manage seasonal grasses** Shear dried ornamental grass clumps down near the soil line in early spring.

Plant Spacing Guide

Find your row: **Your planting layer**

Your planting layer	Your pick	Why
Anchor tree trunk	36-48 in from panels	Accommodates future canopy growth
Evergreen shrubs	24-30 in apart	Builds an interlocking visual barrier
Massed native grasses	18 in apart	Merges into one continuous block
Creeping groundcover	12 in apart	Forms a dense living mulch
Landscape spotlight	12-18 in from trunk	Highlights the branch structure

Pre-Planting Site Checks

- ○ Dig a 12-inch test hole; verify it drains completely empty before planting.
- ○ Look up to ensure your tree clears rooflines and utility wires.
- ○ Push your lawnmower along the hose line to test smooth turning.
- ○ Stain lower fence boards to protect against splashback and ambient humidity.

Layout Notes

Step back, adjust your sweeping hose line, and enjoy your beautiful new corner oasis!