venus flytrap

Venus flytraps are a carnivorous plant native to subtropical wetlands. They are named for Venus, the Roman goddess of love.



Venus flytraps prefer at least 4 hours of direct (but not hot) sun each day.



Plant in a custom potting soil consisting of 3 parts Peat Moss and 1 part Perlite. Sphagnum Moss works great as a potting medium as well!



Use distilled or filtered water to water carnivorous plants as they are sensitive to excess minerality in the water. Keep the plant relatively moist, and do not let your plant dry out all the way.



Fertilizer not required. These plants get all the nutrients they need from insects.



Venus Fly Traps can live for 2-3 years without a dormant period. Dormancy is required to thrive long term.



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