




ST. LOUIS LAWN WATERING GUIDE





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QUICK FACTS

-  Most St. Louis lawns need 1–1.5" of water per week
-  Best time to water: 3 a.m.–7 a.m.
-  Avoid watering at night to prevent fungus.

SEASONAL TIPS

-  **Spring:** Rain helps, less irrigation needed
-  **Summer:** Deep watering 3–4x weekly is critical
-  **Fall:** Daily watering is essential for aeration & overseeding success
-  **Winter:** Shut down system before freezing temperatures

SITUATION	FREQUENCY	NOTES
Established cool-season grass	3–4x per Week	1" Per Week
Warm-season grass (Zoysia/Bermuda)	2–3x per Week	1.25" Per Week
Drought conditions	4–5x per Week	1.5" Per Week
New seed/overseeding	2–3x per Day	Keep soil moist, but not wet

SMART WATERING TIPS

- Clay soil or Grade Change → Use cycle-and-soak method (short cycles, rest, repeat)
- Use smart controllers like Hydrowise
- Install a rain sensor



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