Which Houseplant Is Right For Me?

happy houseplants

Easy

	LIGHT	WATER	HUMIDITY	NOTES
Pothos	●●●○○	●●●○○	●●○○○	All-around low maintenance
Philodendron	●●●●○	●●●○○	●●●○○	Forgiving with lack of water, fast-growing
Snake Plant	●●○○○	●●○○○	●○○○○	Good for lower light conditions
ZZ Plant	●●○○○	●●○○○	●○○○○	Good for lower light conditions
Monstera	●●●●○	●●○○○	●●●○○	Enjoys consistent watering schedule
Syngonium	●●●●○	●●●○○	●●●○○	Easy-going, good for leca medium
Anthurium	●●●●○	●●●○○	●●●●○	Slow-growing, high humidity
Scindapsus	●●●○○	●●●○○	●●●○○	Water when leaves curl
Dracaena	●●●○○	●●○○○	●●○○○	Hardy, can tolerate lower light conditions
Umbrella Plant	●●●○○	●●●○○	●●●○○	Hardy, avoid direct light

Intermediate

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Ficus	●●●●○	●●●○○	●●●○○	Doesn't like to be moved around
Begonia	●●●●○	●●●●●	●●●●●	Good for terrariums, leaves like to be dry
Ivy	●●●●○	●●●○○	●●●○○	Keep soil consistently moist
Tradescantia	●●●●●	●●●○○	●●○○○	Prune to maintain fullness
Peperomia	●●●●○	●●●○○	●●●○○	Delicate stems, pinch off blooms
Hoya	●●●●○	●●○○○	●●●○○	Slow-growing, water when leaves fold
Spider Plant	●●●○○	●●●○○	●●●○○	Avoid direct light
Cactus	●●●●●	●○○○○	●○○○○	Direct light, bottom water only
Orchid	●●●●○	●●●○○	●●●○○	Use orchid fertilizer, prone to root rot

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Aglaonema	●●●○○	●●○○	●●●●○	Prone to root rot, doesn't like drafts
Peace Lily	●●●○○	●●●●○	●●●●○	Keep soil consistently moist
Aloe Vera	●●●●●	●●○○○	●○○○○	Treat this plant like a cactus
Dieffenbachia	●●●○○	●●●○	●●●●○	Keep soil consistently moist
Kalanchoe	●●●●●	●●○○○	●○○○○	Acts like a succulent, but needs more water
Oxalis	●●●●●	●●●○	●●●○○	Water when plant droops
Prayer Plant	●●●○○	●●●○○	●●●●○	Water when leaves curl

Hard

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Cissus	●●●●○	●●●●○	●●●●●	Keep soil consistently moist
Fern	●●●●○	●●●●●	●●●●●	Good for terrariums
Alocasia	●●●○○	●●●●○	●●●●○	High humidity, avoid direct light
Croton	●●●○○	●●●●○	●●●●○	Prone to spider mites
Calathea	●●●○○	●●●○○	●●●●○	Prone to spider mites
Pilea	●●●●○	●●●○○	●●●●○	Good for leca medium, sensitive
Succulents	●●●●●	●○○○○	●○○○○	Holds moisture, prone to root rot
African Violet	●●●●○	●●●●○	●●●●○	Keep leaves dry & soil consistently moist
String of Pearls	●●●●○	●●○○○	●○○○○	Bottom water when pearls are deflated
String of Hearts	●●●○○	●●●○○	●○○○○	Bottom water when leaves fold