

# SWEET PEAS



Mammoth Mix



Heaven Scent

- All the sweet pea varieties we offer are scented, not just pretty
- Our varieties have long stems and large flowers, and so are particularly suited to being grown for cut flowers.
- Sweet peas are climbers, and will need nets, trellis or canes to scramble up. They will grow to around 2m with support.
- They need full sun, and a rich moist soil, and can be grown in containers as well as directly in the ground. If you do plant them in a container, make sure it won't topple over when the plants get tall. I find that putting a house brick or two in the bottom of the pot usually adds enough extra weight.
- To make your sweet peas as bushy as possible, it is best to pinch out the tops just above a leaf joint. I usually do this when the plants have around 3 sets of leaves, and then a few pinch out again when the side shoots have several sets of leaves themselves. Doing this several times makes the plants extra bushy, which in turn provides more flowers.