Fernery Community Gardens

Fernery gardens have a more natural ambience as compared to other gardens. Fernery gardens tend to do well in shady environments instead of sunny and open areas. The different textures of the ferns also complement and blend in well with each other.

Outdoor Fernery Garden

Indoor Fernery Garden

Growth Conditions for Fernery Gardens

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<td>• Ferns tend to thrive under a shady environment. • Some ferns can take partial sun.</td>
<td>• Ferns require moderate watering for them to thrive.</td>
<td>• Well-drained soil that does not cause waterlogging</td>
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Recommended Plants

Bird’s Nest Fern
*(Asplenium nidus)*
Height: 0.2m - 0.4m

Maidenhair Fern
*(Adiantum latifolium)*
Height: 0.6m - 0.9m

Asian Spikemoss
*(Selaginella plana)*
Height: 0.2m - 0.6m

Boston Fern
*(Nephrolepis exaltata)*
Height: 0.6m - 0.9m

Staghorn Fern
*(Phatycerium coromarium)*
Height: 0.2 – 0.5m

Tree Fern
*(Cyathea latebrosa)*
Height: 1m – 4m

Example of a Garden Layout
For a step by step process, you can refer to ‘Planning Your Community Garden’ handout.
For more information on plant selection and plant choices, refer to https://florafaunaweb.nparks.gov.sg