

## Site Selection Checklist: Journey North Test Gardens

Use this checklist to evaluate possible garden sites. Rank each variable from 0 (doesn't meet criteria) to 3 (meets criteria). The site with the highest score best matches the protocol.

Possible Planting Sites	1	2	3
<b>Temperature</b>			
Air temperature matches average for town.			
At least 15 feet away from foundation of building.			
Away from sunny pavement.			
Not in an enclosed courtyard.			
<b>Exposure</b>			
Exposed to sun for several hours of the day.			
Not in full shade.			
Level site; not greatly sloped south or north.			
<b>Soil</b>			
Workable; can dig down 8" with a shovel.			
Well Drained; water does not form a puddle after rain.			
<b>Protection</b>			
Safe from foot traffic & other interference.			
Safe from salt or other chemical run-off.			
<b>Totals</b>			