



Get the Landscape Look You See in Magazines

(ARA) - Looking at the gorgeous, landscaped yards in magazines can be inspiring, but also overwhelming. The weather gets warm, you plant a few pansies, then you step back and realize that your outdoor space isn't exactly worthy of a photo shoot. Now is the time to call in professional help to expand on your vision and create the landscape look you see in magazines.

The garden gurus at RenovationExperts.com offer tips on how to hire a landscape contractor to add value to your home and make your yard the envy of the neighborhood.

* Define Your Landscaping Needs

Why are you landscaping? Would you like to increase your property value or enhance the enjoyment of your outdoor spaces? Perhaps your goal is to create a delicate rose garden or entertain friends, family, children and pets. Clearly identify the purposes you need your landscape to serve.

In addition to deciding what your yard needs to do for you, map out a "dream garden". Gather photos of outdoor spaces you love from magazines and brochures and determine if you favor a particular style or theme and would enjoy features such as statuary and waterfalls.

* Set Your Budget

Determine a realistic budget based on the size of the area to be landscaped, features and materials you'd like to use and the condition of your current grounds.

* Work Towards a Designer Dream

A designer landscape first and foremost needs a designer. Landscape contractors offer various services to help design, plan and create your dream yard.

* Find and Select a Landscape Contractor

Visit RenovationExperts.com, fill out one simple form with what you're looking for and get up to four free estimates from local, pre-qualified contractors within 24 hours. There's no obligation and you can choose who you'd like to work with.

While you may not think your outdoor project is complicated, a properly finished job using quality, lasting materials requires the professional knowledge and skill of a landscape contractor. Partnering with a pro will have you glowing with pride over your magazine-quality landscape in no time.

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