

Introduction to Clivia Breeding

Introduction Breeding Clivia is both an art and a science. It allows growers to explore new colours, shapes, and patterns.

Pollination - Use a brush to transfer pollen between flowers. - Label crosses carefully.

Selection - Grow seedlings to maturity (3–5 years). - Select best individuals for further breeding.

Traits to Explore - Flower colour: orange, yellow, peach, green, red. - Patterns: variegation, throat colour, striping. - Plant form: leaf width, growth habit.

Record Keeping - Maintain breeding notes and lineage. - Essential for serious hybridisation programs.

Conclusion Breeding is a long-term pursuit, but the rewards include unique plants and potential show-winners.