



Australian Bush Adventure

design information

Min block width: 10m
Min back garden depth: 2m

Design features at a glance:

- Alfresco extension for meals undercover
- Dry creekbed with rustic bridge
- Habitat rock stacks, frog bog and feature rocks
- Firepit and room for teepee building
- Climber frames as outdoor pin up boards for bedroom views
- Front garden with feature rocks and recycled timbers
- Garden seat surrounded by wildflower garden.

Step onto the path and Nature calls out to you. The scent and sounds of the Australian bush take you back to camping trips and hiking adventures. A little dry creekbed under the rustic bridge intrigues children as they discover frogs and skinks amongst the rocks. Make a natural twig cubby, scramble over the log steps and watch the birds as they find a home to make a nest. As the sun sets, share marshmallows and the joy of discovery around the firepit together. Make memories of wonder and simplicity that bring Nature connection into everyday. Perfect for the nature lovers!

The Basic Plan:

A naturalistic flow creates a wandering feel to this garden design, with gentle mounds and soft edges. No lawn in the smaller gardens means less maintenance and more intrigue.. but still very suitable for pets. Well suited to using recycled materials and artistic interpretation from your own bush adventure memories.

Plan is drawn to 1 : 100 scale, showing paths, paved or deck areas, location of design features and sizes, garden beds, location of feature trees (but not species) & setting out measurements. Plan provided includes Title bar, (address, scale, file number, north symbol, date & designer logo) specified materials, colours and quantities and heights. Info sheets include materials list, setting out fact sheet & building the basics sheet.

Materials: Paths in crushed granite toppings, sleepers or stone steppers. Bridge in recycled sleepers. Large and small rocks, pebbles and logs.

Note: With back gardens over 4m deep x min 12.5m wide, there'll be room to add a small veggie patch, so make sure to choose the 'Herb Garden add-on' with the Family Time Basic Plan.

+ Add an optional Planting Plan

Planting Plan A: Australian Native

The best of Australia's native garden plants developed for small gardens, full of colour with easy care and compact size. Includes some indigenous plants. Great for native wildlife habitat. Well suited to Victorian soils and needing less water once the plants are past their first year. Well suited to the Australian Bush Adventure Dream.

Planting Plan B: Local Indigenous

Indigenous plants local to your home Council area, recreating the habitat that occurred naturally and supporting wildlife feeding, nesting and breeding in your backyard. Plants available as tubestock at much lower price with greatest ability to adapt to the natural soil conditions in your area. Well suited to the Australian Bush Adventure Dream.

Planting Option E: Herb Garden add-on

Available as an option in addition to other garden Dreams for backyards over 4m deep x min 12.5m wide. This planting plan (included in the cost of the basic Herb garden add-on plan) will provide a layout for up to 3 vegie or herb beds, suggested planting layout, berries and some perennials for pollination. Plants grouped in specific groups for most harmonious growing. Note: Productive gardens require watering daily as minimum.

+ Add an optional Levels and Drainage Plan

Is there a likely need for any retaining walls or steps? (You'll know if there's a 'cut and fill' planned, or slope of 500mm or more over 2m anywhere on the block - this is often marked on the site plan) You may not need this optional plan but if you know you will need steps and possibly retaining walls, make sure you add this option so it can be incorporated into the design.

We'll need you to upload your site plan with levels shown on it so we can assess what's needed.