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How Color Eliminates Clutter

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Need to eliminate clutter in the landscape? Choose one hue to use in various shades, tints and tones to help eliminate clutter. Doing this also creates a calming effect in a garden bed.

Also, try creating blocks of a few colors to avoid the chaos of too many hues. Green makes a good transition from one shade to the next. Blue makes us feel cool, so use it as a calming color.

Blue also creates a peaceful atmosphere around a water garden or in pots surrounding a seating area. Use color wheels to assist gardeners in planning appropriate combinations in the garden. Remember... less is more.

