

Gardens of the Bloomsbury Group

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For more information about the Bloomsbury Group and their interesting gardens, our presenters have provided a bibliography. Most, if not all, of the books are available at either the Toronto Public Library and/or the Toronto Botanical Gardens.

Gardening Books

Charleston a Bloomsbury house and Garden by Quentin Bell & Virginia Nicholson

Gardening at Sissinghurst by Tony Lord

Planting Schemes from Sissinghurst by Tony Lord

Virginia Woolf's Garden by Carloine Zoob

Non-Fiction

A Cezanne in the Hedge and other memories of Charleston and Bloomsbury edited by Hugh Lee

Leonard Woolf by Victoria Glendinning

Portrait of a Marriage by Nigel Nicholson

Sketches in Pen and Ink by Vanessa Bell

Some People by Harold Nicholson

The Bloomsbury Group (A Cambridge Companion book)

Virginia Woolf and Vanessa Bell: A Very Close Conspiracy by Jane Dunn

Virginia Woolf by Hermione Lee

Virginia Woolf by Quentin Bell

Bloomsbury Group Books

Fiction

A Bloomsbury Group Reader edited by S.P. Rosenbaum

Bloomsbury at Home by Pamela Todd

The Hours by Michael Cunningham

Vanessa and Her Sister by Priya Parmar

(A few books by Virginia Woolf)

A Room of One's Own

Mrs. Dalloway

The Waves

To The Lighthouse