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Spring is just around the corner. In the last few weeks the Hellebores and snowdrops have appeared giving us a little taste of what is to come. I can't wait to see some of the early daffodils emerge in the next few weeks.

A recent article in the RHS magazine talked about repetition in the garden. Repetition of plants and hard landscape materials gives a sense of unity and calm in the garden. After all we love patterns in our homes which repeat, so why not in the garden. Repeated elements create that sense of your garden being a sanctuary which you can escape to. If you are thinking about making any changes to your garden whether it be in the plant design or hard landscape design remember to repeat colours and textures.



## Special Offer

Anyone who recommends me to their friends will receive a plant to the value of £30 , if the work is successfully commissioned.

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## Ideas to consider now:

- Check that your garden tools are in working order and get the blades on your **lawn mower** changed. Blunt blades can damage your lawn.
- Think about getting **trees and hedges** trimmed before the birds start to nest in them.
- Large **garden ornaments and feature furniture** can create a stunning focal point in the garden.

## Favourite products this month:

### Ornamental pots

Cedar nursery <http://www.landscaping.co.uk> and The Pot Company <http://www.thepotco.com>

### Composite decking

Esthec [www.estheck.com](http://www.estheck.com) and [www.millboard.co.uk](http://www.millboard.co.uk)

### Garden furniture

<http://www.gardenfurniturecentre.co.uk/>

Contact me if you would like more information about the best people to deal with your garden.