

## Arnold Arboretum Weather Station Data — 1990

	Avg. Max. Temp. (°F)	Avg. Min. Temp. (°F)	Avg. Temp. (°F)	Max. Temp. (°F)	Min. Temp. (°F)	Precipi- tation (in.)	Snow- fall (in.)
JAN	36	18	27	62	13	3.52	7
FEB	43	20	32	65	0	3.84	17
MAR	51	29	40	80	7	1.33	4
APRIL	56	37	47	94	18	5.78	1
MAY	66	45	46	82	38	7.61	—
JUNE	78	55	67	88	44	0.83	—
JULY	83	63	73	94	52	4.62	—
AUG	82	64	73	96	54	5.95	—
SEPT	75	51	63	89	37	1.74	—
OCT	68	45	57	86	28	7.18	—
NOV	55	36	46	77	25	2.09	—
DEC	47	28	38	65	16	3.81	—

Average Maximum Temperature	62°F
Average Minimum Temperature	41°F
Average Temperature	51°F
Total Precipitation	48.3 inches
Total Snowfall	29 inches
Warmest Temperature	96° on August 5
Coldest Temperature	0° on February 26
Date of Last Spring Frost	28° on April 19
Date of First Fall Frost	32° on October 20
Growing Season	193 days

Note: According to the state climatologist, R. Lautzenheiser, 1990 was the third warmest year in the 120 years of record keeping by the National Weather Service. The fall was particularly mild, with October being the ninth warmest on record, November the seventh warmest, and December the warmest ever. Precipitation was 2.7 inches above normal and snowfall was 11.1 inches below normal.



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