For potting "Little Gem" magnolias in Perth, use **Scotts Osmocote Pots, Planters & Indoors**. This controlled-release fertiliser feeds your plant for up to 6 months and includes a wetting agent to help manage Perth's dry sandy conditions and water repellency in containers.

What You Need

- **Fertiliser:** Scotts Osmocote Pots, Planters & Indoors
- **Potting Mix:** Premium potting mix designed for pots (or an acid-loving blend suited for magnolias, camellias, and azaleas)
- **Container:** A large pot (at least 2 to 3 times larger than the nursery bag/pot) with good drainage holes

How to Apply

- **When planting:** Mix a small handful or recommended rate of Osmocote granules directly into the potting mix as you fill the container.
- **Ongoing care:** Reapply every 6 months (typically in early spring and early autumn) by sprinkling the granules onto the soil surface and watering well.



