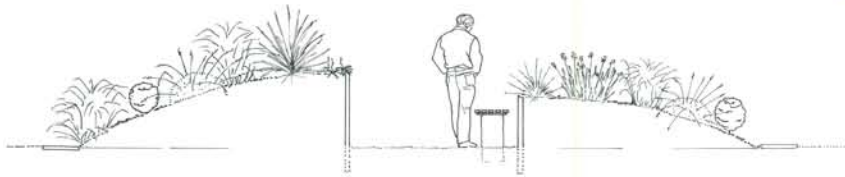


## A walk on the dry side



The essence of this garden is the experience of moving through the space. Plants at almost shoulder height afford a view through leaves and stems, attention caught by gentle fragrance and subtle movement. Looking down and across the simple lines of planting which flow across the curve of the mound, there is a hint of formality.



Inspired by the juxtaposition of flowing curves and geometrical structure in the roof of the visitor centre at the Savill Garden, Windsor Great Park and the sensuous curves of the South Downs, the garden contains plants that will tolerate drought.

The architectural form of *Yucca glauca* is a counterpoint to the softness and texture of *Lavandula* 'Imperial Gem', *Festuca glauca* and *Stipa tenuissimum*. The distinctive flower shapes and bold of colours of *Tulipa acuminata* and *Nerine bowdenii*, create strong accents in Spring and Autumn.

Benches of solid blocks of wealden sandstone, oak and steel are positioned to enable the experience to be enjoyed for longer.