

# Plant Descriptions

## **Amelanchire** (*Amelanchire canadensis*)

Height: 15-25 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Good windbreak or screen.*

## **American Cranberry** (*Vaccinium macrocarpon*)

Height: 2-6 ft. Fruit: Red  
Foliage: Med/Dark Green Exposure: Sun/Light Shade  
*Requires moist, highly organic soil*

## **Austrian Pine** (*Pinus nigra*)

Height: 35-45 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Good windbreak or screen.*

## **Black Eyed Susan** (*Rudbeckia fulgida*)

Height: 24-30 in. Blooms: July thru October  
Flower: Golden Yellow Exposure: Full Sun  
*Drought and heat resistant. Perennial.*

## **Blue Chip Juniper** (*Juniperus horizontalis*)

Height: 6-10 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Foliage: Brilliant Blue Exposure: Full Sun  
*Tolerates all soil types; well-suited for New England.*

## **Blue Oat Grass** (*Helictotrichon sempervirens*)

Height: 2-3 Ft. Flower: Bluish White  
Foliage: Blue-Gray Exposure: Full Sun  
*Ornamental grass.*

## **Blue Rug Juniper** (*Juniperus horizontalis* Wiltonii)

Height: 4-6 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Foliage: Silver-Blue Exposure: Full Sun  
*Excellent spreading habit.*

## **Burning Bush** (*Euonymus alatus*)

Height: 7-10 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Sun to Shade  
*Tolerates almost any growing conditions.*

## **Cockspur Hawthorne** (*Crataegus crusgalli inermis*)

Height: 20-30 ft. Growth Rate: Slow  
Flower: White Exposure: Full Sun

## **Creeping Moss Phlox** (*Phlox subulata*)

Height: 3-6 in. Bloom: April and May  
Flower: Various Exposure: Full Sun  
*Excellent groundcover.*

## **Cornelian Cherry Dogwood** (*Cornus mas*)

Height: 15 ft. Bloom: April  
Flower: Yellow Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Can be trained into a beautiful dwarf tree.*

## **Day Lillies** (*Hemerocallis*)

Height: 12-36 in. Blooms: June thru Sept.  
Flower: Yellow, Orange, Pink or Purple  
Exposure: Shade/Part Sun  
*Perennial.*

## **Dogwood 'Cardinal'** (*Cornus sericea*)

Height: 7-9 ft. Bloom: Spring/Summer  
Foliage: Green Exposure: Sun/Part Sun  
*Good shrub border.*

## **Dwarf American Cranberry**

(*Viburnum opulus Nanum*)  
Height: 1-2 ft. Growth Rate: Slow  
Foliage: Three-lobed Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Good for low hedge.*

## **Dwarf Blue Spruce** (*Picea pungens* 'Montgomery')

Height: 2-4 ft. Growth Rate: Slow  
Foliage: Silver-Blue Exposure: Full Sun  
*Striking rock garden plant.*

## **Dwarf Fothergilla** (*Fothergilla gardenii*)

Height: 2-4 ft. Bloom: April and May  
Flower: White; fragrant Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Foliage turns yellow to orange in the fall.*

## **Dwarf Green Spruce** (*Picea abies* 'Mucronata')

Height: 5-8 ft. Growth Rate: Slow  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Full Sun

## **Dwarf Mugo Pine** (*Pinus mugo*)

Height: 3-6 ft. Growth Rate: Slow  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Good for foundation plantings or rock gardens.*

## **Dwarf Scotch Pine** (*Pinus sylvestris* 'Glaucia Nana')

Height: 4-8 ft. Growth Rate: Slow  
Foliage: Blue-Green Exposure: Full Sun  
*Good for rock gardens.*

## **Flame Grass** (*Miscanthus sinensis purpureus*)

Height: 4-6 ft. Flower: Silvery plumes  
Foliage: Medium Green Exposure: Full Sun  
*Ornamental grass.*

## **Forsythia** (*Forsythia* 'Meadowlark')

Height: 5-12 ft. Bloom: Winter, Spring  
Flower: Yellow Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Neutral, well-drained soil.*

## **Highbush Blueberry Shrub** (*Vaccinium*)

Height: 4-8 ft. Bloom: July and August  
Fruit: Blue-Blackberry Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Tolerates moist soil.*

## **Japanese Garden Juniper**

(*Juniperus procumbens nana*)  
Height: 4-6 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Foliage: Light Green Exposure: Full Sun  
*Handsome ground cover. Excellent for rock garden.*

## **Japanese Hornbeam** (*Carpinus japonica*)

Height: 25 ft. Foliage: Corrugated leaves  
Height: 20-25 ft. Blooms: June  
Flower: Creamy White Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Drought resistant.*

## **Kousa Dogwood** (*Cornus kousa*)

Height: 20-25 ft. Blooms: June  
Flower: Creamy White Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Drought resistant.*

## **Lilac, James MacFarlane** (*Syringa prestoniae*)

Height: 6-10 ft. Bloom: June  
Flower: Pink Exposure: Full Sun

*Single flower; late blooming.*

## **Merril Magnolia** (*Magnolia loebneri*)

Height: 15-20 ft. Bloom: April and May  
Flower: White Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Very hardy.*

## **Meidiland Rose** (*Rosa* 'Meidiland Red')

Height: 2 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Flower: Red Exposure: Full Sun  
*Border or foundation plant; groundcover effect.*

## **Millers Superform Maple** (*Acer platanoides*)

Height: 45-60 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Full Sun

## **Miss Kim Lilac** (*Syringa patula*)

Height: 4-6 ft. Bloom: May  
Flower: Purple-Blue Exposure: Full Sun  
*Purple fall foliage; single flower.*

## **Northern Bayberry** (*Myrica pensylvanica*)

Height: 6-10 ft. Fruit: Gray berries  
Foliage: Deep Green Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Good for naturalizing.*

## **Pagoda Dogwood** (*Cornus alternifolia*)

Height: 20 ft. Blooms: May and June  
Flower: White, fragrant Exposure: Sun/Part Shade

## **Perennial Geranium** (*Geranium mac Bevens*)

Height: 1-2 ft. Blooms: Spring/Summer  
Flower: Various Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Require well-drained soil.*

## **P.G. Hydrangea** (*Hydrangea paniculata*)

Height: 8-12 ft. Bloom: July thru Sept.  
Flower: White Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Flowers change to purplish pink.*

## **Pin Oak** (*Quercus palustris*)

Height: 60-70 ft. Growth Rate: Fast  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Full Sun  
*Tolerates moist soils.*

## **Plantain Lily** (*Hosta Plantain*)

Height: 12-36 in. Bloom: July thru Sept.  
Flower: White or Lilac Exposure: Shade/Part Sun  
*Perennial.*

## **Potentilla** (*Potentilla fruticosa* 'Gold Drop')

Height: 1-2 ft. Bloom: June thru October  
Flower: Deep Yellow Exposure: Sun/Part Shade

## **Purple Cone Flower** (*Echinacea purpurea*)

Height: 3-4 ft. Blooms: July thru Sept.  
Flower: Purple Exposure: Full Sun  
*Perennial.*

## **Red Veined Enkianthus** (*Enkianthus companulatus*)

Height: 6-10 ft. Bloom: May and June  
Flower: Yellow w/red veins Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Beautiful fall foliage.*

## **River Birch** (*Betula nigra*)

Height: 35-45 ft. Growth Rate: Fast  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Full Sun  
*The most pest-free birch.*

## **Rosebay Rhododendron** (*Rhododendron maximum*)

Height: 6-12 ft. Bloom: June  
Flower: Pinkish White Exposure: Shade/Part Sun  
*Excellent for naturalizing.*

## **Rugosa Rosa** (*Rosa Rugosa*)

Height: 5 ft. Bloom: June thru Sept.  
Flower: Pink Exposure: Full Sun  
*Extremely winter hardy.*

## **Russian Olive** (*Elaeagnus angustifolia*)

Height: 15-20 ft. Bloom: Spring  
Flower: Yellow Exposure: Full Sun  
*Prefers well-drained soil.*

## **Russian Sage** (*Petovskia atriplicifolia*)

Height: 2-3 ft. Flower: Blue  
Foliage: Gray Exposure: Full Sun  
*Perennial.*

## **Sargent Hemlock** (*Tsuga canadensis* 'Sargentii')

Height: 8-10 ft. Growth Rate: Slow  
Foliage: Deep Green Exposure: Shade to Sun

## **Seagreen Juniper** (*Juniperus chinensis*)

Height: 4-6 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Full Sun  
*Fountain-like arching branches.*

## **Siberian Iris** (*Iris sibirica*)

Height: 2-4 ft. Bloom: June and July  
Flower: White or Purple Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Perennial.*

## **Silver & Gold Dogwood**

(*Cornus alba* 'Silver & Gold')  
Height: 5-10 ft. Bloom: Spring/Summer  
Flower: White Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Shade Moist, well-drained soil.*

## **Silver Feather Grass** (*Miscanthus sinensis* 'Silberfeder')

Height: 7-9 ft. Flower: Silvery plumes  
Foliage: Green/Silver Exposure: Full Sun  
*Ornamental grass.*

## **Summit Ash** (*Fraxinus pennsylvanica* 'Summit')

Height: 50-60 ft. Growth Rate: Fast  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Full Sun  
*Excellent golden yellow fall color.*

## **Techny Arborvitae** (*Thuja occidentalis*)

Height: 10-15 ft. Growth Rate: Slow  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Full Sun  
*Excellent for hedge or windbreak.*

## **Tussock Grass** (*Deschampsia caespitosa* (Gold Veil)

Height: 1-2 in. Growth: Moderate  
Foliage: Golden Yellow Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Tolerates most soil types.*

## **Vanhoutte Spirea** (*Spiraea x vanhouttei*)

Height: 6-8 ft. Bloom: April and May  
Flower: White Exposure: Full Sun  
*Arching, fountain-like habit.*

## **Wayfaring Tree** (*Viburnum lantana*)

Height: 10-15 ft. Blooms: Spring  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Prefers well-drained, loamy soil.*

## **Weeping Pussywillow** (*Salix caprea* 'Pendula')

Height: 6 ft. Growth Rate: Medium  
Foliage Form: Weeping Exposure: Full Sun

## **White Pine** (*Pinus strobus*)

Height: 50-80 ft. Growth Rate: Fast  
Foliage: Blue-Green Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Native to New England.*

## **White Spruce** (*Picea glauca*)

Height: 40-60 ft. Growth Rate: Moderate  
Foliage: Blue-Green Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Prefers well-drained, moist gravelly soil.*

## **Winterberry Holly** (*Ilex verticillata*)

Height: 8-12 ft. Fruit: Red  
Foliage: Dark Green Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Tolerates wet soils. Fruit lasts into winter.*

## **Yucca** (*Yucca filamentosa*)

Height: 2-3 ft. Bloom: July and August  
Flower: Creamy White Exposure: Sun/Part Shade  
*Tolerates sand and salt.*