



## NATIVE PLANTS

Native plants are plants which were growing in this region prior to European settlement. For many years they have grown in this area without assistance from man. They are accustomed to our climate: the seasonal temperatures, seasons of additional rainfall, humidity, and drought.

Once established, they require little or no irrigation or fertilization and they are usually more resistant to pest and disease. As with all plants, the appropriate micro-climate in your yard needs to be considered when making your plant selections: shade, sun, wind, or salt conditions. Finally, native plants benefit the South Carolina ecosystem by providing shelter and food for wildlife.

For assistance identifying native plants, look for this symbol on our signage throughout the garden center or speak to a salesperson.



### Trees

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<i>Acer rubrum</i> (Red Maple)	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i> (Tulip Poplar)
<i>Betula nigra</i> (River Birch)	<i>Magnolia grandiflora</i> (Magnolia)
<i>Cercis canadensis</i> (Redbud)	<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i> (Black Gum)
<i>Chionanthus virginicus</i> (Fringe Tree)	<i>Prunus caroliniana</i> (Cherry Laurel)
<i>Cornus florida</i> (Dogwood)	<i>Quercus phellos</i> (Willow Oak)
<i>Gordonia laianthus</i> (Loblolly Bay)	<i>Quercus virginiana</i> (Live Oak)
<i>Ilex x attenuate</i> 'East Palatka' (E.P. Holly)	<i>Taxodium disticum</i> (Bald Cypress)
<i>Ilex vomitoria</i> (Yaupon Holly)	
<i>Juniperus virginiana</i> (Red Cedar)	

### Shrubs

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<i>Callicarpa Americana</i> (Beautyberry)	<i>Myrica cerifera</i> (Wax Myrtle)
<i>Hydrangea quercifolia</i> (Oakleaf Hydrangea)	<i>Sabal minor</i> (Dwarf Palmetto)
<i>Ilex vomitoria</i> 'Nana' (Yaupon Holly)	<i>Yucca filamentosa</i> (Adam's Needle)
<i>Illicium floridanum</i> (Florida Anise)	

### Vines & Groundcovers & Ferns

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<i>Bignonia capreolata</i> (Cross vine)	<i>Lonicera sempervirens</i> (Coral Honeysuckle)
<i>Dryopteris ludoviciana</i> (Southern Shield Fern)	<i>Passiflora</i> (Maypop)
<i>Gesemium sempervirens</i> (Carolina Jasmine)	<i>Wisteria floribunda</i> (Wisteria)

### Grasses

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<i>Juncus effuses</i> (Soft Rush)	<i>Muhlenbergia capsillaris</i> (Sweet Grass)
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## Perennials

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*Amsonia tabernaemontana* (Bluestar)

*Asclepias tuberosa* (Butterfly Weed)

*Baptisia* (Wild Indigo)

*Begonia grandis* (Hardy Begonia)

*Castilleja indivisa* (Indian Paintbrush)

*Coreopsis angustifolia* (Tickseed coreopsis)

*Coreopsis lanceolata* (Coreopsis)

*Echinacea* (Coneflower)

*Erythrina herbacea* (Coral Bean)

*Eupatorium purpureum* (Joe-Pye Weed)

*Gaillardia* (Indian Blanket Flower)

*Gaura lindheimeri* (Gaura)

*Helianthus angustifolia* (Swamp Sunflower)

*Helianthus debilis* (Dune Sunflower)

*Hibiscus coccineus* (Texas Star Hibiscus)

*Iris virginica* (Blue Flag Iris)

*Liatris* (Blazing Star)

*Lobelia cardinalis* (Fan Flower)

*Oenothera* (Beach Primrose)

*Phlox divaricata* (Blue Phlox)

*Rudbeckia fulgida* (Black-eyed Susan)



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