

Plants suggestions for the Deer challenged Garden!



The following is a list of deer resistant plants. Deer do not seem to relish the plants listed and seldom eat them. However, when extremely hungry, deer will eat about anything.

Keep the following tips in mind when shopping for deer resistant plants.

- 1 Pubescence (fuzzy foliage, twigs and buds)
- 2 Aromatic (scented on stem, leaf or flower)
- 3 Spiny (prickles on stem or leaf)
- 4 Thorny (spikes, thorns or barbs on stems or branches)

Shrubs

Barberry
Bayberry
Boxwood
Caragana (Siberian Peashrub)
Cottoneaster
Daphne
Dogwood
Forsythia
Hemlock
Holly
Honeysuckle
Juniper
Kerria
Lilac
Ninebark
Pine
Potentilla
Privet
Smokebush
Spirea
Spruce
St. Johnswort
Sumac
Summersweet
Sweetspire
Viburnum
Winterberry
Yucca

Trees

Caragana (Siberian Peashrub)
Ginkgo
Hawthorn
Hemlock

Pine
Magnolia
Russian Olive
Spruce

Sun Perennials

Anemone
Artemesia
Beardstongue
Bellflower
Black-eyed susan
Blanketflower
Butterflyweed
Campanula
Catmint
Coreopsis
Dames Rocket
Delphinium
Flax
Forget-me-not
Gallardia
Galium
Geranium
Goldenrod
Heliopsis
Iberis
Lavender
Lupine
Meadowsweet
Nepeta
Peony
Phlox
Potentilla
Purple coneflower
Rattlesnake-master

Rudbeckia
Russian sage
Salvia
Sedum
Snow-in-summer
Speedwell
Yarrow

Shade Perennials

Astilbes
Bleeding hearts
Columbine
Ferns
Foamflower
Hellebore
Jacobs Ladder
Lady's Mantel
Lamium
Ligularia
Lilly of the Valley
Lungwort
Meadowrue
Monarda
Snakeroot
Spiderwort
Tiarella

Herbs

Borage
Catmint
Chamomile
Chives
Comfrey
Hyssop
Lavender
Lemon Balm
Mint
Rosemary
Sage
Thyme