

SUGGESTIONS FOR PLANTS AND FLOWERS

Check with the supplier that the plant is suitable for the place and purpose you intend.

Climbers

Convolvulus
Ivy
Morning Glory
Honeysuckle
Nasturtiums
Hop (Humulus)
Boston Vine (Parthenocissus)
Glory Vine (Vitis Coignetiae)
Sweet peas

Sun lovers

Pinks/Carnations (Dianthus)
Aubretia
Ice plant (Sedum)
Houseleek (Sempervivum)

Blue lily (Agapanthus)
Pansies
Daisies (Bellis)
Marigolds (Calendula)
Erigeron (daisy flowers)
Geraniums
Helichrysum (everlasting)
Chinese Lantern (Physalis)
Golden Rod
Nasturtiums
Verbena
Mesembryanthemum
Achillea (Yarrow)
Montbretia (Crocsmia)
Poached-egg plant
(Limnanthes Douglasii)

Shade lovers

Hostas
Ivy
Primula/primrose
Violets
Periwinkle (Vinca)
Dead nettle (Lamium)
Forget Me Nots (Myosotis)
Lady's Mantle (Achemilla)
Astilbe
Granny's Bonnet (Aguilegia)
Bleeding Heart (Dicentra)

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Tubs and baskets

Pansies
 Alyssum
 Busy Lizzie (Impatiens)
 Petunia
 Marigold (Tagetes)
 Begonia
 Harebell (Campanula)
 Lobelia
 Mimulus
 Viola
 Lobelia

Fast growers

Morning Glory
 Nasturtiums
 Sweet peas
 Sunflowers
 Busy Lizzie (Impatiens)
 Golden Hop (Humulus)
 Boston Vine (Parthenocissus)
 Glory Vine (Vitis Coignetiae)

Ground dwellers

Periwinkle (Vinca)
 Anthemis (Chamomile)
 Thyme (Thymus)
 Candytuft (Iberis)
 Speedwell (Veronica)
 Hardy geranium
 Rock rose (Helianthemum)
 Ground cover roses (Rosa)

Evergreen / Winter interest

Grasses
 Cyclamen
 Heathers
 Myrtle (Myrtus)
 Flax (Phormium)

Perfumed foliage

Myrtle (Myrtus)
 Pelargoniums
 Choisia

Perfumed flowers

Pinks (Dianthus)
 Alyssum
 Wallflowers

Bulbs

Crocuses
 Snowdrops
 Hyacinth
 Small daffodils
 Grape hyacinth (Muscari)

Everlasting flowers

Straw flowers (Bracteantha)
 Limonium
 Love in a Mist (Nigella)
 Helichrysum
 Chinese Lanterns (Physalis)

Or you could sow some wild flower seeds in a patch of grass which is left to grow taller than the rest.

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SUGGESTIONS FOR SHRUBS

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Climbers

Wisteria
Thornless Blackberries
Cotoneaster horizontalis
Honeysuckle
Passion flower (Passiflora)

Sun lovers

Lavender
Berberis
Wygela
Shade lovers
Hydrangea
St John's Wort (Hypericum)
Spiraea
Convolvulus

Ivy
Morning Glory

Perfumed trees

Eucalyptus

Perfumed flowers

Lavender
Philadelphus
Daphne
Wisteria
Lilac (Syringa)

Fast growers

Morning Glory
Kerria (grows anywhere)

Spiny or prickly

Holly
Mahonia
Pryocanthus
Gorse (Ulex)

Screening

Cotoneaster (prickly)
Box (Buxus)
Forsythia
Lavender (Lavandula)
Currant (Ribes)
Lonerica
Black bamboo (Phyllostachis)
Striped bamboo (Pleioblastus)

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Evergreen / Winter interest

Cornus (Red stems)
 Choysia
 Clematis
 Eucalyptus
 Yucca
 Hazel (Corylus)
 Tassel Bush (Garrya Eliptica)
 Willow (Salix)
 Viburnum

Trees

Birch (Betula)
 Rowan (Sorbus)
 Crab apple (Malus)
 Plum and Cherry (Prunus)

Flowering

Butterfly bush (Buddleia)
 Ceanothus (Blue)
 Hebe (low growing)
 Prunus (flowering)

Berries

Cotoneaster horizontalis
 Hawthorn (Crataegus)
 Holly (Ilex)
 Firethorn (Pyracantha)
 Rowan (Sorbus)

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SUGGESTIONS FOR FOOD PLANTS

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Climbers

Thornless blackberries
Tomatoes
French/runner beans, peas
Marrows, squashes, cucumbers, courgettes
Or try a grape vine!

Sun lovers

Sage (*Salvia officinalis*)
Nasturtiums
Onions (*Allium*)
Garlic
Most herbs

Tubs and pots

Small varieties of apples and pears (make sure you have a self-fertile type, or plant two)
Strawberries
French or runner beans, peas and cucumbers grow up sticks or trellis
Tomato plants grow in tubs or grow bags
Ornamental cabbages
Potatoes in buckets
Basil and parsley

Herbs

Marjoram (*Origanum*)
Thyme (*Thymus*)
Rosemary (*Rosemarinus*)
Cotton lavender (*Santolina*)
Lemon thyme (*Melissa Officinalis*)
Mint (*Mentha*)
Chives
Fennel
Basil
Dill

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Fast growers

Carrots
Beans
Lettuce Marrows
Pumpkins
Radishes
Spinach

Attractive to insects and butterflies

Butterfly bush (Buddleia)
Sedum
Alyssum
Calendula
Dianthus
Myosotis
Solidago
Aster
Ceanothus
Lavender (Lavandula)

Decorative

Kohlrabi
Red cabbage
Ornamental cabbage
Artichokes and cardoons
Alliums, leeks and onions



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