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Trees for Shade and Special Sites in the Home Landscape

TREES FOR YOUR HOME

Trees for Shade

The following trees have moderate to good shade tolerance. Those with * will tolerate deep shade.

JAPANESE MAPLE	HEDGE MAPLE	STRIPED MAPLE*
EASTERN REDBUD	BEECH sp.*	DOGWOOD sp.
PAW PAW*	AMERICAN HORNBEAM*	EUROPEAN HORNBEAM
ALDER sp.	SWEETBAY MAGNOLIA	SILVERBELL
BUCKEYE sp.	FILBERT sp.	JAPANESE SNOWBELL
STEWARTIA	EASTERN HEMLOCK	YEW*
SULLIVAN CYPRESS	UMBELLA PINE	SPICE BUSH*

Trees That Need Acid Soils

Many of our Central Ohio yards are clay soil with alkaline conditions. The trees listed below need acid conditions to thrive. A * means the tree is somewhat adaptable to alkaline conditions.

DOGWOOD sp.	PIN OAK	RED OAK*
WHITE PINE	EASTERN HEMLOCK	CANAAN FIR*
MAGNOLIA*	HOLLY sp.	RED MAPLE*
BIRCH sp.*	CAROLINA SILVERBELL	WHITE OAK*

Trees That Tolerate Wet Soils

These trees will grow in conditions where water is temporarily standing or soils that tend to heavy and wet.

RED MAPLE	SWAMP WHITE OAK	PIN OAK
BALD CYPRESS	RIVER BIRCH	SYCAMORE/ LONDON PLANE
SERVICEBERRY	SWEETBAY MAGNOLIA	BLACK GUM
ALDER	AMERICAN HORNBEAM	EUROPEAN HORNBEAM
SWEETGUM	DAWN REDWOOD	WILLOW ELM sp.
AMERICAN LINDEN	TULIP POPLAR	ATLANTIC WHITE CEDAR