


























































































Edging and Groundcover					
Common Name	Category	Latin Name	Height	Light	Description/Notes
Ajuga	Perennial Ground Cover	Ajuga reptans	2"-4"	 	Nice color contrast. Low mounding plant form. Look for: 'Bronze Beauty', 'Burgandy Glow'
Dwarf Mexican Petunia	Perennial Ground Cover	Ruelia brittoniana	6"-8"	 	Self-seeding, pink-purple flowers. Look for: 'Katie's Dwarf'
Mondo Grass	Evergreen Perennial	Ophiopogon japonicus	6"-8"	 	Dwarf and variegated varieties are available.
Rain Lily	Evergreen Perennial	Zephyranthes candida	8"-10"	 	Pink or White varieties, makes nice border with blooms after a rain. Plant as bulbs, will naturalize and re-seed.
Verbena, Homstead Purple	Perennial Ground Cover	Verbena x hybrida	8"-10"	 	Multi-branched, creeping plants. Great bloomer. Hardy perennial. Deep purple flowers all summer. Foliage may last thru winter
Juniper	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus horizontalis	10"-12"	  	Low growing juniper with soft gray-green foliage. Look for: 'Bar Harbor' or Blue Rug 'Wiltonii' varieties
Asian Jasmine	Evergreen Ground Cover	Trachelospermum jasminoides	12"-18"	  	Fast growing ground cover that spreads by runners.
Asian Jasmine, Bronze Beauty	Evergreen Ground Cover	Trachelospermum jasminoides	12"-18"	  	Leaves of this variety contain shades of red, bronze and green.
Lamb's Ears	Evergreen Perennial	Stachys byzantina	12"-18"	 	Provides texture and grey/green contrast. Keep blooms pinched back to promote foliage.
Liriope	Evergreen Perennial	Liriope muscari	12"-18"	 	Traditional favorite. Sheer back in spring. Look for 'Majestic', 'Variegata' and 'Big Blue'
Santolina, Gray	Evergreen Perennial	Santolina chamaecyparissus	12"-18"	 	Small shrub that makes nice gray-green contrasting border. May product small yellow blooms in late summer.
Santolina, Green	Evergreen Perennial	Santolina rosmarinifolia (viridis)	12"-18"	 	Small compact shrub that makes nice border. Fine textured leaves bloom yellow in late summer
Ornamental Grasses (1ft to 6ft)					
Common Name	Category	Latin Name	Ht x Wd	Light	Description/Notes
Sweetflag	Evergreen Perennial	Accorus spp.	1'x1'		Grasslike plant with glossy green leaves. Good ground cover or edging.
Mexican Feather Grass	Perennial	Nassella tenuissima	1.5'x1.5'		Small grass with wispy foliage that turns to straw color in fall. May reseed.
Sedge Grasses	perennial	Carex spp.	2'x1'	 	Grass-looking varieties make good edging and texture interest.
Dwarf Fountain Grass 'Hameln'	Perennial	Pennisetum alopecuroides	2'x1.5'		Smaller sized grass good for mass plantings.
Purple Fountain Grass	Annual	Pennisetum setaceum 'Rubrum'	3'x2'		Ornamental accent grass with deep burgandy leaf blades and pinkish plumes.
Bushy Bluestem	Perennial	Andropogon glomeratus	3'x6'		The sheaths surrounding the racemes take on orange-salmon color in fall
Autumn Red Japanese Grass	Perennial	Miscanthu purpureus 'Autumn Red'	4'x3'		Silvery summer plumes, red-orange fall color.
Gulf Muhly	Perennial	Muhlenbergia capillaris	4'x3'	 	narrow foliage with wispy purple plumes in late summer to fall.
Maiden Grass	Perennial	Miscanthus sinensis	4'x3'	 	Many varieties and color variations to choose from. Look for: 'Cosmopolitan', 'Adagio', 'Garziella', 'Gracillimus', 'Zebrinus'
Lindheimer's Muhly	Perennial; bunchgrass	Muhlenberiga lindheimeri	4'x4'	 	Blue-green foliage. Purplish flower spikes that age to silvery gray. Sun to part shade. Cold tolerant
Pampus Grass	Perennial	Cortaderia selloana	6'x6'		Good screen, windbreak or specimen grass. Showy white plumes last for months. Evergreen but must be cut back to ground in late winter.

Small Shrubs (1ft to 3ft)					
Common Name	Category	Latin Name	Height	Light	Description/Notes
Juniper, Blue Shore 'Blue Pacific'	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus conferta	12"-18"		Blue -green foliage slow growing to 1' high
Barberry, 'Royal Burgundy'	Deciduous Shrub	Berberis thunbergii	18"-24"		Tidy compact form with spreading habit. Velvet-like rich burgundy foliage. Darkens a richer hue.
Indian Hawthorn, 'Bay Breeze'	Evergreen Shrub	Rhaphiolepis indica	18"-24"		Glossy leaves have a bronzy cast and are somewhat curled. Blooms pink in spring.
Juniper, 'Blue Creeper'	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus scopulorum	18"-24"		Mounded spreading form with outstanding blue-green foliage. Color intensifies in winter.
Nandina	Evergreen Shrub	Nandina domestica nana	18"-24"		Dwarf plant grows densely and produces abundant red berries in fall and winter. Look for: 'Harbor Belle', 'Nana Purpurea' (reddish-purple)
Barberry, 'Crimson Pigmy'	Deciduous Shrub	Berberis t. atropurpurea nana	24"-36"		Bright red color all summer and mahogany stems in winter make this a colorful accent. Spiny foliage.
Abelia, 'Rose Creek'	Evergreen Shrub	Abelia x grandiflora	24"-36"		Small, shiny leaves have a purplish tinge in winter. Dense compact growth habit.
Crape Myrtle, Weeping	Deciduous Shrub	Lagerstroemia indica	24"-36"		Blooms profusely, from June through September. Low growing variety. Look for: 'Baton Rouge' (red), 'Bayou Marie' (pink), 'Cordon Blue' (blue-lavender), 'Delta Blush' (pink)
Crape Myrtle	Deciduous Shrub	Lagerstroemia indica	24"-36"		A dwarf Crape Myrtle with a compact mounded form covered with clusters of lavender-pink flowers. Look for: 'Chickasaw' (lavender-pink), 'Pokemoke' (dark pink)
Holly, 'Carissa'	Evergreen Shrub	Ilex cornuta	24"-36"		Compact densely foliated shrub with dark glossy green leaves that have a single spine on the tip.
Holly, Dwarf Chinese	Evergreen Shrub	Ilex cornuta 'Rotunda'	24"-36"		Attractive, round, mounding shrub. Dense branching with spiny, glossy dark green foliage.
Holly, Dwarf Yaupon	Evergreen Shrub	Ilex vomitoria	24"-36"		Tiny dark green foliage on twiggy branches, takes well to shearing.
Indian Hawthorn	Evergreen Shrub	Rhaphiolepis indica	24"-36"		Spreading shrub with dark green leathery foliage. Look for: 'Dancing Girl', 'Clara'
Nandina	Evergreen Shrub	Nandina domestica nana	24"-36"		New growth is bronzy-pink tinted that turns soft green with age. Winter color is a brilliant red. Look for: 'Fire Power', 'Moonbay'
Spiraea, 'Little Princess'	Deciduous Shrub	Spiraea japonica	24"-36"		In summer dainty clusters of rose-pink blooms are backed by mint green foliage. Forms a neat compact bush. Look for: 'Little Princess', 'Magic Carpet'
St. John's Wort, 'Sunburst'	Evergreen Shrub	Hypericum frondosum	24"-36"		Upright stems arch out to 4' wide with blue-green leaves and bright yellow blooms all summer.
Yew, Spreading Plum 'Prostrata'	Evergreen Shrub	Cephalotaxus harringtonia	24"-36"		Plum yews are intermediate in form and growth between a Podocarpus Yew and a true Taxus Yew.

Medium Shrubs (3ft to 6ft)					
Common Name	Category	Latin Name	Height	Light	Description/Notes
Abelia	Evergreen Shrub	Abelia x grandiflora	3'-4'		Variegated foliage is green and rich-yellow. Soft pink, funnel-shaped flowers bloom from spring to fall. Look for: 'Frances Mason', 'Edward Goucher' and 'Sherwoodii'
Chinese Fringe Flower, dwarf	Evergreen Shrub	Loropetalum chinensis	3'-4'		Purple Diamond' boasts some of the most intense purple foliage color available. Raspberry colored blooms. 'Petite Delight' is a low growing form with good burgandy foliage.
Indian Hawthorn	Evergreen Shrub	Raphiolepis indica	3'-4'		Medium green leaves on a dense rounded form. Varieties in shades of pink to white in this size.
Juniper, Gold Coast	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus x pfitzeriana	3'-4'		Golden color on lacy foliage & compact form. 'Aurea Improved' retains golden color through winter better than other gold junipers
Nandina, 'Gulf Stream'	Evergreen Shrub	Nandina domestica	3'-4'		Brilliant red fall/winter color. Beautiful new growth is bronze colored.
Spirea	Evergreen Shrub		3'-4'		Look for 'Anthony Waterer'
Rose - Earth Kind	Deciduous Shrub	Rosa	3'-5'		Earthkind roses are disease and pest resistant and a great way to add foundation color. Look for 'Knock Out', 'Marie Daly', 'The Fairy', 'Belinda's Dream' or 'Perl d O Most need full sun, but 'Knock Out' can bloom in partial shade.
American Beautyberry	Deciduous Shrub	Callicarpa americana	4'-6'		Attractive purple fruit clusters in fall. Small pinkish flowers mid to late summer. Attracts
Boxwood, Japanese	Evergreen Shrub	Buxus microphylla japonica	4'-6'		Small rounded bright green leaves on a compact shrub. Look for: 'Winter Gem' or 'Wintergreen'
Chinese Fringe Flower	Evergreen Shrub	Loropetalum chinensis	4'-6'		Clusters of raspberry red or pink fringed flowers appear late winter into spring. Look for 'Razzleberry' or 'Sizzling Pink'
Dwarf Burford Holly	Evergreen Shrub	Ilex cornuta	4'-6'		Compact form of 'Burford Holly', dark green foliage with red berries. Will berry without a male
Indian Hawthorn	Evergreen Shrub	Raphiolepis indica	4'-6'		Medium green leaves on a dense rounded form. Look for: 'Pink Dancer', 'Pink Lady', 'Springtime' or 'Summertime'
Nandina	Evergreen Shrub	Nandina domestica 'Compacta'	4'-6'		Finer, lacier foliage than the domestica. Also, slower growing and more compact w good fall color.
Texas Sage	Evergreen Shrub	Leucophyllum frutescens	4'-6'		Purple flowers periodically in summer. Gray-silver leaves. Very drought resistant. Look for: 'Lynn's Everblooming', 'Green Cloud', 'Silverado' or 'Alba' (white blooms)
Viburnum, 'Spring Bouquet'	Evergreen Shrub	Viburnum t. compactum	4'-6'		A compact growing, handsome evergreen shrub. Bears small clusters of white flowers in spring,
Wax Myrtle, Dwarf	Evergreen Shrub	Myrica pusilla	4'-6'		Develops into an airy, aromatic hedge. Tolerates poor drainage. Look for 'Lynn's Dwarf'

Large Shrubs (6ft to 20ft)					
Common Name	Category	Latin Name	Height	Light	Description/Notes
Abelia, 'Glossy'	Semi-Evergreen Shrub	Abelia x grandiflora	6'-8'		Small glossy leaves are bronzy in full sun. Abundant small pinkish white flowers ev on sheared bushes.
Cleyera	Evergreen Shrub	Ternstroemia gymnanthera	6'-8'		Glossy leathery leaves with new growth turning from red to dark green or bronze as the leaves
Euonymous, 'Manhattan'	Evergreen Shrub	Euonymous kiautschovicus	6'-8'		Dark Green evergreen foliage. Durable Shrub, sun or shade.
Hydrangea, Oak Leaf	Deciduous Shrub	Hydrangea quercifolia	6'-8'		This hydrangea is native to the southern states. It is one of the best varieties for North Texas.
Holly, 'Needlepoint'	Evergreen Shrub	Ilex cornuta	8'-10'		Dense evergreen shrub with narrow dark green leaves. Bright red berries that last into winter.
Silverberry, 'Ebbengi'	Evergreen Shrub	Elaeagnus macrophylla	8'-10'		Green foliage has silver scales on the surface. Brown scales on stems & new growth. Silvery flowers
Privet, Variegated Chinese	Semi-Evergreen Shrub	Ligustrum sinense	8'-12'		Foliage is soft gray-green with white. Produces white flowers in spring.
Cherry Laurel, Compact	Evergreen Shrub	Prunus caroliniana 'Compacta'	10'-12'		Lustrous, dark green foliage provides an excellent backdrop for mixed borders. Small, fragrant,
Holly	Evergreen Shrub	Ilex	10'-12'		Dark green serrated leaves and loads of red berries. More berries with a male pollenizer. Look for: 'Patriot Red', 'Liberty', or 'Robin Red'
Wax Myrtle, Southern	Evergreen Shrub	Myrica cerifera	10'-12'		Broadly rounded evergreen shrub or small tree. Aromatic, glossy olive -green foliage.
Holly, 'Mary Nell'	Evergreen Shrub	Ilex x latifolia	10'-15'		Pyramidal shrub with dark green, glossy serrated leaves.
Holly, 'Pendula'/Weeping Yaupon	Evergreen Shrub	Ilex vomitoria	10'-15'		Evergreen shrub or small tree with pendulous branches.
Indian Hawthorn, 'Majestic Beauty'	Evergreen Shrub	Rhaphiolepis indica	10'-15'		Large coarse leaves on an open form.
Juniper, 'Blue Arrow'	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus virginiana	10'-15'		Bright blue foliage on a tight, narrow, upright form. Ideal for spatially challenged screening.
Juniper, 'Gray Gleam'	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus scopulorum	10'-15'		Dense silvery-blue foliage intensifies in winter. Attractive columnar form. Slow growing.
Juniper, Hollywood 'Torulosa'	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus chinensis	10'-15'		Rustic twisted form adapts well to training. Good screening shrub.
Juniper, 'Spartan'	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus chinensis	10'-15'		Rapidly growing juniper forms densely branched columnar form. Durable evergreen tolerates heat, cold
Juniper, 'Spearmint'	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus chinensis	10'-15'		Tall narrow evergreen with soft, dense, bright green foliage.
Juniper, 'Wichita Blue'	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus scopulorum	10'-15'		Broad pyramidal form, silvery blue foliage retains brilliant color all year.
Viburnum, 'Chindo' Sweet	Evergreen Shrub	Viburnum awabuki	10'-15'		Lustrous glossy leaves and dense growth make this Shrub a great screen. White flowers.
Viburnum, Eastern Snowball 'Sterile'	Deciduous Shrub	Viburnum opulus	10'-15'		Masses of pure white snowball-like flower clusters make a showy display in spring.
Viburnum, 'Sweet'	Evergreen Shrub	Virburnum odoratissmum	10'-15'		Clusters of fragrant white flowers adorn this glossy shrub in Spring.
Viburnum, 'Shasta'	Deciduous Shrub	Viburnum plicatum tomentosum	10'-15'		Prized for abundant extra large white flowers. Dark green leaves turn purple-red in the fall.
Yew, Japanese 'Maki'	Evergreen Shrub	Podocarpus macrophyllus	10'-15'		An excellent upright foundation plant that takes to shearing very well.
Holly, 'Nellie R. Stevens'	Evergreen Shrub	Ilex x attenuata	15'-20'		Vigorous grower spreading with age. Bears abundant, large, orange-red berries.
Juniper, 'Skyrocket'	Evergreen Shrub	Juniperus virginiana (J. scopulorum)	15'-20'		Columnar form makes this one of the narrowest junipers available. Beautiful bluish-gray foliage. Grows to 2ft wide.

Small Ornamental Trees (10ft to 20ft)					
Common Name	Category	Latin Name	Height	Light	Description/Notes
Carolina Buckthorn	Deciduous Tree	Rhamnus carolina	10'-15'		An attractive, adaptable small tree with red and black berries in summer and fall.
Chaste Tree, 'Shoal Creek'	Deciduous Shrub	Vitex agnus-castus	10'-15'		Multi-trunk large shrub or small tree. Terminal spikes of dense fragrant lilac flowers in summer.
Dogwood, Roughleaf	Deciduous Tree	Cornus drummondii	10'-15'	 	Native moderate grower. White flowers in spring, fall foliage is red to pink and white berries. Shade or understory tree.
Redbud, Mexican	Deciduous Tree	Cercis canadensis var. mexicana	10'-15'		Smaller waxy leaves plus purplish-pink flowers.
Redbud, 'Oklahoma'	Deciduous Tree	Cercis canadensis var. texensis	10'-15'		Moderate grower. Deep purplish fuschia blossoms cover the branches in spring. Attractive glossy leaves.
Redbud, Texas	Deciduous Tree	Cercis canadensis var. texensis	10'-15'		Wine rose flowers cover the branches in spring. Very glossy, dark-green foliage has a wavy edge.
Smoketree, 'Royal Purple'	Deciduous Tree	Cotinus coggygria	10'-15'	 	Pinkish-purple, smoke-like airy seed clusters backed by burgundy foliage. Foliage holds color well.
Whitebud, Texas	Deciduous Tree	Cercis canadensis var. texensis alba	10'-15'		White flowering form of the Texas redbud. Smaller and prettier than the eastern redbud.
Crape Myrtle	Deciduous Tree	Lagerstroemia indica	15'-20'	 	Multi-trunked. Blooms all summer and available in various colors and sizes. Never let landscape crews remove anything other than seed heads.
Crape Myrtle, 'Natchez'	Deciduous Tree	Lagerstroemia x fauriei	15'-20'	 	Dark cinnamon-brown exfoliating bark remains attractive throughout the year. Dark green leaves, white blooms.
Cypress, 'Blue Ice' Arizona	Evergreen Tree	Cupressus arizonica	15'-20'		A nice tight growing extra light silvery blue conical evergreen. Very widely adapted.
Cypress, Compact Arizona	Evergreen Tree	Cupressus arizonica compacta	15'-20'		This is a dense, bluish-green form of the Arizona cypress. Fast growing and hardy.
Eve's Necklace	Deciduous Tree	Sophora affinis	15'-20'		Native fast grower when young. Pink flower clusters in spring. Beaded, black fruit in fall/winter.
Holly, Foster	Evergreen Tree	Ilex x attenuata 'Fosteri'	15'-20'	 	Slender pyramidal form. Dark green foliage.
Holly, Possumhaw	Deciduous Tree	Ilex decidua	15'-20'	 	Multi-trunked with small leaves. Females have persistent red berries in winter.
Holly, Yaupon	Evergreen Tree	Ilex vomitoria	15'-20'	 	Native slow grower with small evergreen leaves. Multi-trunked tree with females having red berries
Mexican Buckeye	Deciduous Tree	Ungnadia speciosa	15'-20'	 	Medium size, open multi-stemmed small tree. Nice, pink spring flowers before the leaves. Interesting seed pods. Likes it dry.
Plum, Purpleleaf	Deciduous Tree	Prunus cerasifera	15'-20'	 	Fast grower. Ornamental accent tree with pink flowers in spring. Dark burgundy foliage. Needs good drainage.
Rusty Blackhaw Viburnum	Deciduous Tree	Viburnum rufidulum	15'-20'	 	Glossy leaves, fragrant white flowers, blue berries, and purple, orange and pink fall colors make
Wax Myrtle	Evergreen Tree	Myrica cerifera	15'-20'	 	Airy, aromatic small multi-stemmed tree with small, waxy berries. Tolerates wet soil.