

Deer Resistant Plants

Deer can literally take your garden and landscape down to the ground. Protect your garden by utilizing plants that are less desirable to deer. Though these plants are less desirable to deer, in certain situations, deer may still feed or browse if other preferred food sources aren't available. It's also always important to consider all your options and choose the right plant for the right place to ensure success.

Trees

Scientific Name	Common Name	Scientific Name	Common Name
<i>Acer</i>	Maple	<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>	Sweet Gum
<i>Amelanchier</i>	Serviceberry	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	Tuliptree
<i>Carpinus</i>	Hornbeam	<i>Malus</i>	Crabapple
<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	Redbud	<i>Metasequoia glyptostroboides</i>	Dawn Redwood
<i>Comus</i>	Dogwood	<i>Prunus</i>	Plum
<i>Crataegus</i>	Hawthorn	<i>Pyrus</i>	Pear
<i>Fagus sylvatica</i>	European Beech	<i>Quercus</i>	Oak
<i>Fraxinus</i>	Ash	<i>Syringa reticulata</i>	Japanese Tree Lilac
<i>Ginkgo biloba</i>	Maidenhair Tree	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	Bald Cypress
<i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i>	Honeylocust	<i>Tilia cordata</i>	Littleleaf Linden
<i>Larix</i>	Larch	<i>Ulmus</i>	Elm

Shrubs

Scientific Name	Common Name	Scientific Name	Common Name
<i>Aronia arbutifolia</i>	Red Chokeberry	<i>Ligustrum vulgare 'Cheyenne'</i>	Cheyenne Privet
<i>Berberis</i>	Barberry	<i>Lindera benzoin</i>	Spicebush
<i>Buddleia davidii</i>	Butterfly Bush	<i>Myrica pensylvanica</i>	Bayberry
<i>Calycanthus floridus</i>	Carolina Allspice	<i>Philadelphus</i>	Mock Orange
<i>Cotinus coggygria</i>	Smokebush	<i>Potentilla fruticosa</i>	Cinquefoil
<i>Daphne</i>	Daphne	<i>Spiraea</i>	Spirea
<i>Forsythia</i>	Forsythia	<i>Syringa vulgaris</i>	Common Lilac
<i>Hamamelis</i>	Witchhazel	<i>Viburnum</i>	Viburnum (most)
<i>Hibiscus syriacus</i>	Rose of Sharon	<i>Weigela florida</i>	Weigela
<i>Hydrangea</i>	Hydrangea	<i>Yucca filamentosa</i>	Adam's Needle
<i>Kerria japonica</i>	Japanese Kerria		

Evergreens

Scientific Name	Common Name	Scientific Name	Common Name
<i>Abies</i>	Fir	<i>Euonymous fortunei</i>	Euonymous
<i>Buxus</i>	Boxwood	<i>Ilex glabra</i>	Inkberry
<i>Chamaecyparis</i>	Falsecypress	<i>Ilex x meserveae</i>	Meserve Holly
<i>Juniperus</i>	Juniper (most)	<i>Pieris japonica</i>	Japanese Andromeda
<i>Kalmia latifolia</i>	Mountain Laurel	<i>Pinus mugo</i>	Mugo Pine
<i>Mahonia aquifolium</i>	Oregon Grapeholy	<i>Pinus strobus</i>	White Pine
<i>Picea abies</i>	Norway Spruce		

Woody Vines

Scientific Name

Akebia quinata
Campsis radicans
Celastrus scandens
Clematis
Hydrangea anomala petiolaris
Lonicera

Common Name

Fiveleaf Akebia Vine
 Trumpet Creeper
 Bittersweet
 Clematis
 Climbing Hydrangea
 Honeysuckle

Scientific Name

Parthenocissus quinquefolia
P. tricuspidata
Polygonum aubertii
Vitis coignetiae
Wisteria

Common Name

Virginia Creeper
 Boston Ivy
 Silver Lace Vine
 Ornamental Grape
 Wisteria

Groundcover

Scientific Name

Ajuga
Asarum
Convallaria
Euonymus fortunei
 "Coloratus"
Galium odoratum
Hedera helix "Thorndale"

Common Name

Bugleweed
 Ginger
 Lily of the Valley
 Wintercreeper

 Sweet Woodruff
 Thorndale English Ivy

Scientific Name

Juniperus
Lamium
Pachysandra
Phlox subulata

Common Name

Juniper
 Dead Nettle
 Japanese Spurge
 Moss Phlox

 Hens and Chicks
 Periwinkle

Perennials

Scientific Name

Achillea
Aconitum
Alchemilla
Anemone
Aquilegia
Arabis
Armeria maritima
Artemisia
Asclepias
Astilbe
Bergenia
Boltonia
Calamintha
Caltha palustris
Centranthus
Cerastium
Cimicifuga
Coreopsis
Dendranthemum
Dianthus
Dicentra
Digitalis
Monarda
Nepeta
Paeonia
Perovskia
Phlox divaricate
Polemonium
Pulmonaria
Rheum
Rudbeckia hirta
Salvia

Common Name

Yarrow
 Monkshood
 Lady's Mantle
 Anemone
 Columbine
 Rock-cress
 Sea Thrift
 Wormwood
 Butterfly Weed
 Astilbe
 Bergenia
 Aster
 Calamint
 Marsh Marigold
 Jupiter's Beard
 Snow-in-Summer
 Bugbane
 Tickseed
 Mum
 Sweet William
 Bleeding Heart
 Foxglove
 Bee Balm
 Catmint
 Peony
 Russian Sage
 Phlox
 Jacob's Ladder
 Lungwort
 Rhubarb
 Black-eyed Susan
 Meadow Sage

Scientific Name

Echinacea
Epimedium
Erigeron x hybrid
Eupatorium
Euphorbia
 Ferns
Filipendula
Gentiana
Geranium
Geum
Gypsophila
Helenium
Helleborus
Hibiscus
Iberis
Iris sibirica
Lavandula
Liatris
Linaria
Linum
Lychnis
Lysimachia
Saponaria
Sedum
Solidago
Tiarella
Thalictrum
Tradescantia
Trillium
Veronica
Viola cucculata "Freckles"

Common Name

Coneflower
 Barrenwort
 Fleabane Daisy
 Joe Pye Weed
 Spurge
 Ferns
 Meadowsweet
 Gentian
 Cranesbill
 Avens
 Baby's Breath
 Sneezeweed
 Lenten Rose
 Hibiscus
 Candytuft
 Siberian Iris
 Lavender
 Gayfeather
 Toadflax
 Perennial Flax
 Rose Campion
 Loosestrife
 Soapwort
 Sedum
 Goldenrod
 Foamflower
 Meadowrue
 Spiderwort
 Trillium
 Speedwell
 Marsh Violet

Ornamental Grasses

Scientific Name

Briza media
Calamagrostis x acutiflora
Carex 'Bowles Golden'
Carex 'Evergold'
Carex pennsylvanica

Common Name

Quaking Grass
 Reed Grass
 Bowles Golden Sedge
 Evergold Sedge
 Pennsylvania Sedge

Scientific Name

Chasmanthium latifolium
Festuca ovina glauca
Hakonechloa 'All Gold'
Hakonechloa 'Aureola'
Miscanthus sinensis

Common Name

Northern Sea Oats
 Blue Fescue
 All Gold Hakone Grass
 Aureola Hakone Grass
 Japanese Silver Grass

Hardy Bulbs

Scientific Name

Allium
Chionodoxa
Colchicum
Eranthis
Fritillaria
Galanthus

Common Name

Garlic, Onion
 Glory-of-the-Snow
 Autumn Crocus
 Winter Aconite
 Crown Imperial
 Snowdrops

Scientific Name

Leucojum
Muscari
Narcissus
Puschkinia
Scilla

Common Name

Snowflake
 Grape Hyacinth
 Daffodil
 Striped Squill
 Squill

Annuals/Biennials

Scientific Name

Ageratum
Antirrhinum
Delphinium
Dianthus
Digitalis
Helianthus
Helichrysum
Heliotropium
Ipomoea
Lobelia erinus
Lobularia

Common Name

Ageratum
 Snapdragon
 Annual Larkspur
 Carnation
 Foxglove
 Sunflower
 Strawflower
 Heliotrope
 Moonflower, Morning Glory
 Lobelia
 Sweet Alyssum

Scientific Name

Matthiola
Mimulus
Mirabilis
Myosotis
Nipponanthemum
Papaver
Petunia
Salvia
Tithonia
Tropaeolum

Common Name

Stock
 Mimulus
 Four o'clock
 Forget-Me-Not
 Montauk Daisy
 Poppy
 Petunia
 Salvia
 Mexican Sunflower
 Nasturtium

Herbs

Scientific Name

Allium schoenoprasum
Anethum graveolens
Angelica archangelica
Artemisia absinthum
Borago officinalis
Chamaemelum
Ocimum basilicum
Origanum vulgare
Petroselinum
Rosemarinus officinalis
Rumex
Ruta graveolens
Salvia officinalis

Common Name

Chives
 Dill
 Angelica
 Artemesia
 Borage
 Chamomile
 Basil
 Oregano
 Parsley
 Rosemary
 Garden Sorrel
 Rue, Herb of Grace
 Sage

Scientific Name

Foeniculum vulgare
Hyssopus officinalis
Lavandula angustifolia
Melissa officinalis
Mentha
Nepeta faassenii
Satureja montana
Symphytum x rubrum
Tanacetum coccineum
T. parthenium
Teucrium chamaedrys
Thymus
Verbascum

Common Name

Fennel
 Hyssop
 Lavender
 Lemon Balm
 Mint
 Catmint
 Savory
 Comfrey
 Tansy
 Feverfew
 Fender
 Thyme
 Mullein