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Deer Resistant Species



Few plants are completely deer resistant. Several factors influence deer browsing including the density of the deer population, environmental conditions such as drought, and plant palatability. Deer tend to avoid plants with aromatic foliage, tough leathery and/or hairy or prickly leaves or plants with milky latex or sap. Try using some of the plants listed here to minimize deer damage to your landscape.

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| SCIENTIFIC NAME | COMMON NAME(S) | IMAGE GALLERY |
|---|---|---|
| <u>Allium canadense</u> | Meadow garlic Wild garlic Wild onion |  9 images |
| <u>Amorpha fruticosa</u> | Indigo bush False indigo bush False indigo Desert false indigo |  14 images |
| <u>Andropogon gerardii</u> | Big bluestem Turkeyfoot |  21 images |
| <u>Aquilegia canadensis</u> | Eastern red columbine Wild red columbine |  43 images |
| <u>Aristida oligantha</u> | Oldfield (Prairie) 3-awn Oldfield threeawn Prairie threeawn |  17 images |
| <u>Asclepias incarnata</u> | Swamp milkweed Pink Milkweed |  17 images |
| <u>Asclepias tuberosa</u> | Butterflyweed Butterfly milkweed | |

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Maine

[GENERAL APPEARANCE](#)

All habits

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[LIGHT REQUIREMENT](#)

Sun - 6 or more hrs

Part shade - 2 to 6 hrs

Shade - 2 hrs or less

[SOIL MOISTURE](#)

Dry - no signs of moisture

Moist - looks & feels damp

Wet - saturated

[BLOOM TIME](#)

Jan Feb Mar

Apr May Jun

Jul Aug Sep

Oct Nov Dec

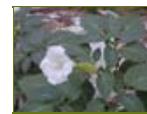
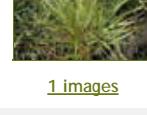
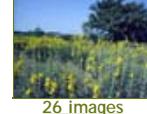
[BLOOM COLOR](#)

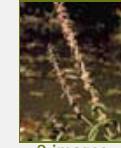
White Red Pink

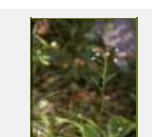
Orange Yellow Green

Blue Purple Violet

Brown Black

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| | Orange milkweed Pleurisy root |  79 images |
| <i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i> | Sideoats grama |  24 images |
| <i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i> | Common buttonbush Buttonbush Button willow |  21 images |
| <i>Cleome serrulata</i> | Rocky mountain bee plant Rocky Mountain beeplant |  9 images |
| <i>Coreopsis tinctoria</i> | Plains coreopsis Golden tickseed Goldenwave Calliopsis |  31 images |
| <i>Cryptotaenia canadensis</i> | Canadian honewort Wild Chervil |  1 images |
| <i>Datura wrightii</i> | Sacred thorn-apple Jimsonweed Thorn apple Datura Angel Trumpet Sacred datura |  25 images |
| <i>Elymus canadensis</i> | Canada wildrye or Canada wild rye Canadian wildrye Prairie wildrye Nodding wildrye |  14 images |
| <i>Eleocharis rostellata</i> | Beaked spikerush Leap Frog Spike Rush |  6 images |
| <i>Equisetum hyemale var. affine</i> | Scouringrush horsetail |  1 images |
| <i>Eragrostis spectabilis</i> | Petticoat climber Purple love grass Purple lovegrass Purple plains lovegrass Tumblegrass |  1 images |
| <i>Gaillardia pulchella</i> | Firewheel Indian Blanket |  108 images |
| <i>Helianthus maximiliani</i> | Maximilian sunflower Max sunflower |  26 images |
| <i>Juniperus virginiana</i> | Eastern red cedar Eastern redcedar Virginia juniper | |

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| | |  20 Images |
| <u>Lobelia cardinalis</u> | Cardinal flower |  41 Images |
| <u>Lythrum alatum</u> | Winged lythrum |  2 Images |
| <u>Monarda fistulosa</u> | Wild bergamot Beebalm |  36 Images |
| <u>Nelumbo lutea</u> | American lotus Yellow lotus Yellow water lotus |  14 Images |
| <u>Nuphar lutea</u> | Yellow pond-lily Cow lily Spatter dock Yellow cow lily |  4 Images |
| <u>Oxalis stricta</u> | Common yellow oxalis Yellow Wood-sorrel |  10 Images |
| <u>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</u> | Virginia creeper |  25 Images |
| <u>Panicum virgatum</u> | Switchgrass Wand panic grass |  16 Images |
| <u>Phytolacca americana</u> | American pokeweed Pokewberry Pokeweed Red Ink Plant |  16 Images |
| <u>Physostegia virginiana</u> | Fall obedient plant Obedient plant False dragonhead |  11 Images |
| <u>Platanus occidentalis</u> | American sycamore Buttonwood Plane-tree Sycamore |  12 Images |
| <u>Pontederia cordata</u> | Pickerelweed Pickerel Weed |  20 Images |

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| <i>Populus deltoides</i> | Eastern cottonwood Necklace Poplar |  17 images |
| <i>Potamogeton nodosus</i> | Knotty Pondweed Longleaf pondweed |  2 images |
| <i>Prunella vulgaris</i> | Common selfheal |  10 images |
| <i>Ptelea trifoliata</i> | Wafer ash Common hoptree Hop tree |  26 images |
| <i>Rudbeckia hirta</i> | Black-eyed Susan Common black-eyed Susan Brown-eyed Susan |  52 images |
| <i>Samolus valerandi</i> ssp. <i>parviflorus</i> | Seaside brookweed Water Pimpernel Thin-leaf Brookweed |  1 images |
| <i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i> | Little bluestem |  32 images |
| <i>Solidago nemoralis</i> | Gray goldenrod Prairie goldenrod Old field goldenrod |  6 images |
| <i>Sorghastrum nutans</i> | Indiangrass Yellow indian grass |  31 images |
| <i>Solanum rostratum</i> | Buffalobur nightshade Buffalo bur |  22 images |
| <i>Teucrium canadense</i> | Canada germander American germander Canadian germander Germander Hairy germander Wood sage |  13 images |
| <i>Toxicodendron radicans</i> | Eastern poison ivy Poison ivy Poison oak |  8 images |
| <i>Triodanis perfoliata</i> | Clasping Venus' looking-glass |  14 images |

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| <u><i>Typha latifolia</i></u> | Broadleaf cattail Common cat-tail Broad-leaf cat-tail |  14 Images |
| <u><i>Vallisneria americana</i></u> | American eelgrass Eel-grass Water-celery |  1 Images |
| <u><i>Viola sororia</i></u> | Missouri violet Common blue violet Hooded blue violet Florida violet Meadow violet |  6 Images |

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