

DEER-RESISTANT PLANTS

The following is a list of plants that have been identified as deer-resistant. Keep in mind that in a bad season, deer may still feed on plants listed below:

TREES

- Deodara Cedar (*Cedrus deodara*)
- Dogwood (*Cornus florida*)
- Kousa Dogwood (*Cornus kousa*)
- Hawthorn (*Crataegus* sp.)
- Thornless Honeylocust (*Gleditsia triacanthos* var. *inermis*)
- American Holly (*Ilex opaca*)
- Southern Magnolia (*Magnolia grandiflora*)
- Saucer Magnolia (*Magnolia x soulangiana*)
- Star Magnolia (*Magnolia stellata*)
- Sweetbay Magnolia (*Magnolia virginiana*)
- Flowering Cherry (*Prunus serrulata*)
- Corkscrew Willow (*Salix matsudana* 'Tortuosa')
- Sassafras (*Sassafras albidum*)
- Red Buckeye (*Aesculus pavia*)
- Persimmon (*Diospyros virginiana*)
- Japanese Snowbell (*Styrax japonicum*)
- Sweetgum (*Liquidambar styraciflua*)
- Ginkgo (*Ginkgo biloba*)
- Goldenraintree (*Koelreuteria paniculata*)
- River Birch (*Betula nigra*)
- Eastern Redbud (*Cercis canadensis*)
- Fringtree (*Chionanthus virginicus*)

SHRUBS

- Barberry (*Berberis thunbergii*)
- Butterfly-bush (*Buddleia davidii*)
- Littleleaf Boxwood (*Buxus microphylla*)
- Boxwood (*Buxus sempervirens*)
- Smoketree (*Cotinus coggygria*)
- Forsythia (*Forsythia x intermedia*)
- Hollies *in general* (*Ilex* sp.)
- Foster Holly (*Ilex x attenuata*)
- Burford Holly (*Ilex cornuta* 'Burfordii')
- Carissa Holly (*Ilex crenata* 'Carissa')
- Dwarf Japanese Holly (*Ilex crenata* 'Compacta')

- Convexa Holly (*Ilex crenata* 'Convexa')
- Dwarf Yaupon Holly (*Ilex vomitoria* 'Nana')
- Nellie R. Stevens (*Ilex* x 'Nellie R. Stevens')
- Winter Jasmine (*Jasminum nudiflorum*)
- Juniper (*Juniperus* sp)
- Dog-hobble (*Leucothoe axillaris*)
- Oregon Grape Holly (*Mahonia aquifolium*)
- Leatherleaf Mahonia (*Mahonia bealei*)
- Dwarf Nandina (*Nandina domestica*)
- Oleander (*Nerium oleander*)
- Mugo Pine (*Pinus mugo*)
- Carolina Cherrylaurel (*Prunus caroliniana*)
- Common Lilac (*Syringa vulgaris*)
- Yucca (*Yucca filamentosa*)
- Flowering Quince (*Chaenomeles japonica*)
- Pyracantha (*Pyracantha coccinea*)
- Daphne (*Daphne* sp.)
- Gold-dust Plant (*Acuba japonica*)
- Sumacs (*Rhus* sp.)
- Thorny Eleaegnus (*Eleaegnus pungens*)
- Japanese Andromeda (*Pieris japonica*)
- Bumald Spirea (*Spireae* x *bumaldi*)
- Vanhoutte Spirea (*Spireae* x *vanhouttei*)
- Cranberry Cotoneaster (*Cotoneaster apiculatua*)
- Rockspray Cotoneaster (*Cotoneaster horizontalis*)
- Yucca (*Yucca filamentosa*)
- Oakleaf Hydrangea (*Hydrangea quercifolia*)
- Mock Orange (*Philadelphus* sp.)
- Wax Myrtle (*Myrica cerifera*)
- Witchhazel (*Hamamelis virginiana*)

GROUNDCOVERS

- Pachysandra (*Pachysandra terminalis*)
- Ribbon Grass (*Phalaris arundinacea* var. *picta*)
- Thyme (*Thymus* sp.)
- Aaron's Beard (*Hypericum calycinum*)
- Asiatic Jasmine (*Trachelospermum asiaticum*)
- Mondo Grass (*Ophiopogon japonica*)
- Santolina (*Santolina* sp.)

VINES

- Carolina Jessamine (*Gelsemium sempervirens*)
- Star Jasmine (*Trachelospermum jasminoides*)
- Trumpetvine (*Campsis*)
- Climbing Hydrangea (*Hydrangea*)

PERENNIALS

- Columbine (*Aquilegia* sp.)
- Chrysanthemum (*Chrysanthemum* x *morifolium*)
- Lenten Rose (*Helleborus orientalis*)
- Iris (*Iris* sp.)
- Yarrow (*Achillea*)
- Monkshood (*Aconitum*)
- Anemone
- Wormwood (*Artemisia*)
- Butterfly Weed (*Asclepias*)
- Aster
- Tickseed (*Coreopsis*)
- Purple Coneflower (*Echinacea*)
- Cranesbill geranium (*Geranium*)
- Beebalm (*Monarda*)
- Peony
- Chives (*Allium*)
- Blue Star (*Amsonia*)
- Delphinium (*Delphinium*)
- Bleeding Heart (*Dicentra*)
- Foxglove (*Digitalis*)
- Sweet Woodruff (*Galium*)
- St. John's Wort (*Hypericum*)
- Dead Nettles (*Lamium*)
- Lavender (*Lavandula*)
- Catnip (*Nepeta* sp.)
- Oregano (*Origanum*)
- Russian Sage (*Perovskia*)
- Creeping phlox or Thrift (*Phlox Subulata*)
- Lungwort (*Pulmonaria*)
- Garden Sage (*Salvia officinalis*)
- Meadow Sage (*Salvia*)
- Goldenrod (*Solidago*)
- Lamb's Ear (*Stachys*)