

Fox Hill Gardens

Nursery & Landscaping

Deer Resistant Woody Plants



Living in a woodland environment often means dealing with foraging deer. If you are having this problem in your landscape, try using some of these deer-resistant plants. Please note that no plant can be guaranteed deer-proof. When hungry enough, deer eat many plants they normally pass by. These selections represent what they generally avoid.

Paperbark Maple - *Acer griseum*

Red Maple - *Acer rubrum*

Sugar Maple - *Acer saccharum*

Bottlebrush Buckeye - *Aesculus parviflora*

Serviceberry - *Amelanchier spp.*

Chokeberry - *Aronia arbutifolia*

Barberry - *Berberis spp.*

River Birch - *Betula nigra*

Butterfly Bush - *Buddleia spp.*

Boxwood - *Buxus spp.*

Beautyberry - *Callicarpa spp.*

Sweetshrub - *Calycanthus floridus*

Bluebeard - *Caryopteris hybrids*

Threadleaf Falsecypress - *Chamaecyparis pisifera*

Flowering Quince - *Chaenomeles spp.*

Summersweet - *Clethra alnifolia*

Dogwood - *Cornus spp.*

Hazel - *Corylus spp.*

Smokebush - *Cotinus coggygria*

Cotoneaster - *Cotoneaster spp.*

Japanese Cedar - *Cryptomeria japonica*

Beech - *Fagus spp.*

Forsythia - *Forsythia x intermedia*

Carolina Silverbell - *Halesia tetraptera*

Witchhazel - *Hamamelis spp.*

Rose of Sharon - *Hibiscus syriacus*

Aaronsbeard - *Hypericum calycinum*

Inkberry - *Ilex glabra*

Winterberry - *Ilex verticillata*

Sweetspire - *Itea virginica*

Juniper - *Juniperus spp. (some)*

Kerria - *Kerria japonica*

Leucothoe - *Leucothoe fontanesia*

Spicebush - *Lindera benzoin*

Tulip Poplar - *Liriodendron tulipifera*

Honeysuckle - *Lonicera spp.*

Saucer Magnolia - *Magnolia x soulangiana*

Dawn Redwood - *Metasequoia glyptostroboides*

Bayberry - *Myrica pennsylvanica*

Mockorange - *Philadelphus coronarius*

Spruce - *Picea spp.*

Andromeda - *Pieris japonica*

Pine - *Pinus spp.*

Cinquefoil - *Potentilla fruticosa*

Threadleaf Buckthorn - *Rhamnus asplenifolia*

Currant - *Ribes spp.*

Elderberry - *Sambucus canadensis*

Sweet Box - *Sarcococca hookeriana*

Spiraea - *Spiraea spp. (some)*

Lilac - *Syringa spp.*

Coralberry - *Symphoricarpos hybrids*

Viburnum - *Viburnum spp.*

Weigela - *Weigela florida*

Wisteria - *Wisteria spp.*