



# Fox Hill Gardens

Nursery & Landscaping



## *Plants for Full Shade: Woody*

Yards lots of shade can present a problem if they are planted with sun-loving species, including lawn grasses. However, with the right plant palette, you can transform these stubborn areas into a woodland paradise. You should note the amount of light your beds get and classify them as either medium shade (filtered light) or dense shade (no sun at all).

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### TREES FOR LIGHT TO MED SHADE

**Paperbark Maple** – *Acer griseum*

**Japanese Maple** - *Acer palmatum* (Green-Leaved)

**Striped Maple** - *Acer pennsylvanica*

**Sugar Maple** - *Acer saccharum*

**Red Buckeye** – *Aesculus pavia*

**Speckled Alder** – *Alder rugosa*

**Pawpaw** – *Asimina triloba*

**Ironwood, Horbeam** – *Carpinus caroliniana*

**Fringetree** - *Chionanthus virginicus*

**Pagoda Dogwood** – *Cornus alternifolia*

**Flowering Dogwood** - *Cornus florida*

**Beech** – *Fagus spp.*

**Carolina Silverbell** - *Halesia tetraptera*

**Magnolia** - *Magnolia spp.*

**Jap Umbrella Pine** – *Sciadopitys verticillata*

**Stewartia** - *Stewartia pseudocamellia*

**Japanese Snowbell** - *Styrax japonica*

**Canadian Hemlock** - *Tsuga canadensis*

### SHRUBS FOR LIGHT TO MED SHADE

**Fragrant Abelia** – *Abelia monsanensis*

**Shadblow Serviceberry** - *Amelanchier canadensis*

**Azalea** - *Azalea hybrids*

**Boxwood** – *Buxus hybrids*

**Beautyberry** - *Callicarpa spp.*

**Flowering Quince** - *Chaenomeles speciosa*

**Summersweet** - *Clethra alnifolia*

**Deutzia** - *Deutzia gracilis*

**Burning Bush** – *Euonymus alata*

**Fothergilla** - *Fothergilla spp*

**Witchhazel** - *Hamamelis virginiana*

**Hydrangea** - *Hydrangea spp.*

**Holly** - *Ilex spp.*

**Kerria** – *Kerria japonica*

**Spicebush** - *Lindera benzoin*

**Tree Peony** – *Paeonia suffruticosa*

**Japanese Pieris** - *Pieris andromeda*

**Rhododendron** - *Rhododendron hybrids*

**Staghorn Sumac** - *Rhus typhina*

**Alpine Currant** – *Ribes alpinum*

### SHRUBS FOR MED TO FULL SHADE

**Bottlebrush Buckeye** - *Aesculus parviflora*

**Sweetshrub** – *Calycanthus*

**Redosier Dogwood** - *Cornus sericea*

**Forsythia** – *Forsythia spp.*

**Inkberry** - *Ilex glabra*

**Virginia Sweetspire** - *Itea virginica*

**Mountain Laurel** - *Kalmia latifolia*

**Leucothoe** - *Leucothoe spp.*

**Sweetbox** – *Sarcococca hookeriana var. humilis*

**Snowberry** - *Symphoricarpos alba*

**Yew** - *Taxus spp*

**Viburnum** - *Viburnum spp.*