Cold Hardy Landscaping

Assess the Location

- 1. How much sun does the area receive?
- 2. What is the soil condition (sandy, clay etc.)? Will it need amendment?
- 3. Which direction does the area face?

Plant Properly

- 1. Amend the soil if needed
- 2. Never plant deeper than the existing soil level
- 3. Use hardy plants that are right for the location
- 4. Water well to establish a deep root system.



Now it's time to pick the plants! Use the lists below to find the right plants for your area.

Plants for Sunny Areas:

Loropetalum, Indian Hawthorn, Abelia, Creeping Yew, Bronze Beauty Jasmine, Firepower Nandina, Knockout Roses, Hollies, Tea Olive, Banana Shrub, Mrs. Schiller's Delight

Plants for Shady Areas:

Cast Iron Plant, Viburnum Suspensum, Podocarpus, Hollies, Gardenia, Azalea, Camellia, Nandina, Ferns, Purple Queen

Flowers:

Gaillardia, Strawflower, Stokes Aster, Dianthus, Bulbine, Lily of the Nile, Daylilies

Flowering Trees:

Redbud, Purple-leaf Plum, Dogwood, Tabebuia, Japanese Magnolia, Bottlebrush

Palms:

Pindo, European Fan, Windmill, Queen, Chinese and Mexican Fan, Coontie, Palmettos

Grasses:

Breeze Grass, Muhly Grass, Bamboo Muhly Grass, African Iris, Fountain Grass, Pampas Grass



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