



DROUGHT TOLERANT PLANTS

Helianthemum nummularium

This is not a complete list of drought tolerant plants but it is a great start to plants that you will find here at our nursery at points through-out the year. One key thing to having success with drought tolerant plants is the first year. They all are considered drought tolerant once established. For the first year it is key to give your plants plenty of water with deep heavy soakings at each time of watering. This will help the roots go deeper in to the soil creating a stronger plant. Also make sure to mulch around your plants through the dryer months of the year. This will help keep roots cool and retain more water.

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TREES

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| <i>Acacia</i> | CALIFORNIA BUCKEYE |
| <i>Aesculus californica</i> | CEDAR |
| <i>Cedrus</i> | CHILTALPA |
| | CYPRESS |
| <i>Cupressus</i> | RUSSIAN OLIVE |
| <i>Elaeagnus angustifolia</i> | EUCALYPTUS |
| | HONEYLOCUST |
| <i>Gleditsia</i> | SILK OAK |
| <i>Grevillea robusta</i> | GRAPE MYRTLE |
| <i>Lagerstroemia indica</i> | SWEET BAY |
| <i>Laurus nobilis</i> | OLIVE |
| <i>Olea europaea</i> | PINE |
| <i>Pinus</i> | VARIEGATED KARO |
| <i>Pittosporum crassifolium</i> | OAK |
| <i>Quercus</i> | AFRICAN SUMAC |
| <i>Rhus lancea</i> | LOCUST |
| <i>Robinia</i> | JAPANES PAGODA TREE |
| <i>Sophora japonica</i> | TAMARISK |
| <i>Tamarix</i> | SILVER LINDEN |

SHRUBS

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| <i>Atriplex</i> | SALTBUSH |
| <i>Artemisia</i> | |
| <i>Caragana arborescens</i> | |

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| <i>Carpenteria californica</i> | |
| <i>Caryopteris incana</i> | |
| <i>Ceanothus</i> | CALIFORNIA LILAC |
| <i>Cistus</i> | ROCKROSE |
| <i>Cotinus coggygria</i> | SMOKEBUSH |
| <i>Cotoneaster</i> | |
| <i>Potentilla neumanniana</i> | CINQUEFOIL |
| <i>Erythrina crista-galli</i> | CORAL TREE |
| <i>Euphorbia</i> | |
| <i>Euryops pectinatus</i> | EURYOPS |
| <i>Fabiana imbricata</i> | FABIANA |
| <i>Fremontodendron</i> | FLANNEL BUSH |
| <i>Grevillea (most)</i> | |
| <i>Grindelia chiloensis</i> | GRINDELIA |
| <i>Hibiscus</i> | ROSE OF SHARON |
| <i>Juniperus</i> | JUNIPERS |
| <i>Mahonia (many)</i> | |
| <i>Nandina domestica</i> | HEAVENLY BAMBOO |
| <i>Olearia</i> | |
| <i>Osmanthus</i> | |
| <i>Phlomis fruticosa</i> | JERUSALEM SAGE |
| <i>Phlomis italica</i> | PHLOMIS |
| <i>Ribes (most)</i> | CURRANT, GOOSEBERRY |
| <i>Rosa rugosa</i> | RAMANAS ROSE |
| <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> | ROSEMARY |
| <i>Santolina chamaecyparissus</i> | LAVENDER COTTON |
| <i>Sophora davidii</i> | SOPHORA |
| <i>Taxus</i> | YEW |

PERENNIALS FOR DRY SUNNY AREAS

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| <i>Anthericum liliago</i> | ST. BERNARDS LILY |
| <i>Acanthus hirsutus</i> | BEARS BREECH |
| <i>Achillea</i> | YARROW |
| <i>Agapanthus</i> | LILY-OF-THE-NILE |
| <i>Agave</i> | |
| <i>Amaryllis belladonna</i> | BELLADONNA LILY |
| <i>Asteriscus maritimus</i> | ASTERISCUS |
| <i>Catanache caerulea</i> | CUPIDS DART |
| <i>Coreopsis</i> | |
| <i>Crepis incana</i> | PINK DANDELION |
| <i>Cynara cardunculus</i> | CARDOON |
| <i>Echinops</i> | GLOBE THISTLE |
| <i>Eryngium x tripartitum</i> | ERYNGIUM |
| <i>Gaillardia</i> | BLANKET FLOWER |
| <i>Gaura</i> | GAURA |
| <i>Helianthemum</i> | SUNROSE |
| <i>Liatrix</i> | LIATRIS |

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| <i>Linum narbonne</i> | NARBONNE FLAX |
| <i>Papaver orientale</i> | ORIENTAL POPPY |
| <i>Pennisetum</i> | |
| <i>Perovskia</i> | RUSSIAN SAGE |
| <i>Phlomis</i> | PHLOMIS |
| <i>Opuntia</i> | |
| <i>Rudbeckia</i> | BLACK EYED SUSAN |
| <i>Siphium lacinaiatum</i> | |
| <i>Sedum</i> | |
| <i>Sempervivum</i> | |
| <i>Stachys</i> | LAMBS EAR |
| <i>Thymus</i> | THYME |
| <i>Tropaeolum</i> | |
| <i>Verbascum</i> | |
| <i>Yucca</i> | YUCCA |
| <i>Zauschneria californica</i> | |

PERENNIALS FOR DRY SOIL IN SHADY AREAS

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| <i>Buglossoides purpurocaerulea</i> | PURPLE GROMWELL |
| <i>Claytonia sibirica</i> | SIBERIAN PURSLANE |
| <i>Euphorbia amygdaloides robbiae</i> | WOOD SPURGE |
| <i>Epimedium</i> | |
| <i>Helleborus</i> | |
| <i>Epimedium</i> | |
| <i>Saxifraga stolonifera</i> | STRAWBERRY GERAMIUM |
| <i>Tolmiea menziesii</i> | PIGGY BACK PLANT |
| <i>Trachystemon orientalis</i> | |
| <i>Pulmonaria</i> | |
| <i>Vinca major</i> | |