

LOW MAINTENANCE LANDSCAPE PLANTS

You busy lifestyle doesn't mean you can't still enjoy your outdoor living spaces. Through years of experience, Earl May has compiled a list of plants that will provide years of enjoyment without all the extra effort. While no plants are completely maintenance free, there are many that require a lot less time.

Keys to Success:

Part of having a low maintenance landscape is proper plant selection based on your available space. The right plant, in the right spot, will pay dividends in the long run.

Sun Exposure:

Look for our sun icon or other lighting needs listed on our plant tags. Plants receiving the proper light will grow healthy and strong!

Available Space:

Choosing a plant that will grow to a size that stays within the allowed space will eliminate crowding and help the plant thrive. This cuts down on pruning, insect and/or disease concerns.

Site Preparation:

Proper soil in a planting bed is essential to a plants health. Add rich organic matter like Earl May Planting Mix and Earl May Structure to get your plants off to a healthy start.

Garden Centers

OUR FAVORITES



Shrubs

- Buckthorn Fineline
- Dwarf Spirea many varieties
- · Boxwood many varieties
- Barberry many varieties
- Dogwood Ivory Halo & Artic Fire
- Hydrangea Limelight & Little Lime®
- Hydrangea Bloomstruck®
- · Lilac Dwarf Korean
- · Viburnum Blue Muffin
- Potentilla many varieties



Perennials Sun Loving:

- Daylily
- Black-eyed Susan
- Catmint
- Salvia
- Coreopsis
- Bee Balm
- Veronica

Shade Loving:

- · Hardy Geranium
- · Coral Bell
- Hosta
- Brunnera



Evergreens

- · Globe Arborvitae
- Mugho Pine
- Gold Cypress
- Upright Juniper
- Japanese Yew



Trees

- Cleveland Flowering Pear
- Royal Raindrop Crab
- Hydrangea tree form
- Brandywine Maple
- Skyline Locust
- Tulip Tree
- London Plane