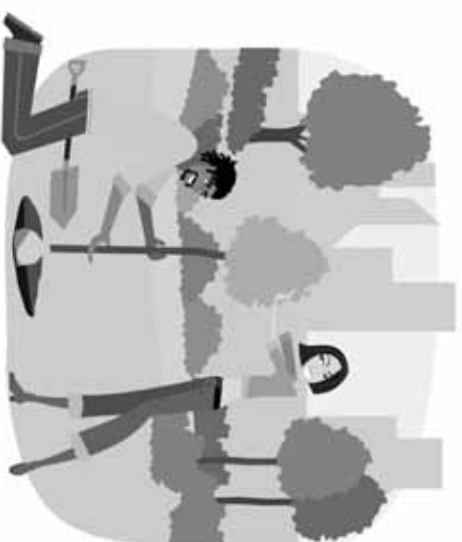


Green Thumb Nursery Catalog



Green Thumb Nursery provides healthy trees and shrubs for healthy forests. Our catalog includes species descriptions and photos, compliments of Virginia Tech.

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Woody Plant Descriptions

Green Thumb Nursery offers a variety of trees for your every need. Read through the tree and shrub descriptions below to find which species best meet your planting needs.

Green Ash (*Fraxinus pennsylvanica*)

Green ash grows quickly, reaching up to 50 feet. Green ash is native to the Mid-Atlantic region of the United States. Different types of soil and moisture conditions are suitable for this tree. Green ash is not tolerant to shade, but does well in open spaces and close to streams.



Multiflora Rose (*Rosa multiflora*)

Multiflora rose is native to Asia and is considered an **invasive plant** throughout the United States. This shrub grows fast and easily out-competes other vegetation. Multiflora rose thrives in a variety of soil, light, and moisture conditions, including in riparian areas. It has white flowers and seeds in the summer, which provide food sources for pollinators and birds.



Persimmon (*Diospyros virginiana*)

Persimmon is native to the Mid-Atlantic region of the United States. This tree grows in many areas, but thrives best in rocky, moist locations, such as **riparian areas** with clay and **loam** soils.



Persimmon grows slowly and normally reaches heights between 20 and 60 feet. This tree does well in both open sites with full sun, or as an understory tree in shade. Persimmon produces a sweet fruit desired by wildlife and humans.

Pin Oak (*Quercus palustris*)

Pin oaks are native to the Mid-Atlantic Region of the United States. This tree easily reaches heights of 50 to 70 feet. It prefers wet sites with heavy soils, as are found in riparian areas. Pin oak does best at an elevation of 800 feet or lower, and its nuts are preferred by wildlife.



Hackberry (*Celtis occidentalis*)

This hardy shrub is native to the United States. Hackberry is commonly found in moist riparian areas in the Mid-Atlantic region. It is adaptable to a variety of areas and soil types, but prefers moist places. Hackberry provides habitat for nesting birds and other wildlife, and produces fruits that mature in the fall.



Sawtooth Oak (*Quercus acutissima*)

Although sawtooth oak is native to eastern Asia, this species is found throughout the southern and eastern part of the United States. Sawtooth oak grows well in sandy or clay and loam soils, and prefers well-drained areas. It does not do well in wet, flood-prone areas.

