

2011 Plant Sale –Trees



Green Japanese Maple



Red Japanese Maple

Hardiness Zones: 5-8, habit: deciduous, growth rate: Slow to moderate, site requirements: light dappled shade; evenly moist, well drained soil; protect from drying winds. texture: medium to fine. Form: Low; dense rounded top; spreading branches; assumes a layered look. Height: 15 to 25', width: 10 to 25'.

Japanese Maple Leaf: 2 to 5" opposite, simple leaf with 5 to 9 lobes; green during summer; yellow, bronze, purple to red fall color.

Japanese Maple Flower/Fruit: Small red to purple flowers; attractive if viewed closely but insignificant from a distance.

Comments: Can be grown as single or multi-stemmed small tree; may suffer leaf scorch with excess sun, wind, or drought.



Red Maple - *Acer Rubrum*

Hardiness Zones: 3 - 9, The red maple tree grows at a moderate to rapid rate. Site requirements: bright sun to partial shade, wide range of soil types: sandy loam to clay. The tree has some air pollution tolerance and it is one of the first trees to show fall color.



Thuja “Green Giant”

Thuja Green Giant is one of the fastest growing of all Conifers. Hardy to -15 degrees F, Green Giant is resistant to heavy snow and ice loads, high winds, and drought. Even deer and disease leave it alone!

Elegant and uniform, Thuja Green Giant's conical habit needs no shearing or pruning, though you can trim it to desired size if you don't want it to reach its full size of 30 to

50 feet tall, 10 to 12 feet wide. Few trees are easier to grow -- just water it in well the first few seasons, and the Thuja Green Giant will take off in your sunny to lightly shaded garden! Thuja Green Giant tolerates almost any soil except sand. Its most vigorous growth will be in full sun, but it will also perform well in light shade. You just can't find a hardier, more vigorous tree for a perimeter planting, windbreak, privacy screen, or dramatic specimen in the garden!