

Plant Recommendations

Dry, Shady Sites



Nannyberry (*Viburnum lentago*) - Large deciduous shrub. Foliage green to purple-red in the fall. White flowers in spring followed by blue-black fruit in summer. Grows in sun or shade and in moist or dry soils. Adaptable to many sites.
Pierson's Price: \$8.00 - 1.5 gallon pot



Witherod (*Viburnum cassinoides*) - Medium sized deciduous shrub. Foliage green to bright red in the fall. White flowers in spring followed by purplish fruit in summer. Will grow in shade and moist soils.
Pierson's Price: \$10.00 - 2 gallon pot



Red Chokeberry (*Aronia arbutifolia* "Brilliantissima") - Medium sized deciduous shrub. Foliage green to bright red in the fall. White flowers in spring followed by red fruit in summer. Will grow in shade and moist soils.
Pierson's Price: \$7.00 - 1.5 gallon pot



Highbush Blueberry (*Vaccinium corymbosum*) - Grows from 6 to 8 feet in height with a spread of 8 to 12 feet. Typically found near bogs and marshes. Prefers well-drained, acidic soil and full sun. Plants will grow in the shade but will not produce fruit. White bell-shaped flowers bloom in the spring and are followed by edible dark blue berries. Leaves turn red in the fall. Berries are attractive to birds and other wildlife.
Pierson's Price: \$7.50—1 gallon pot



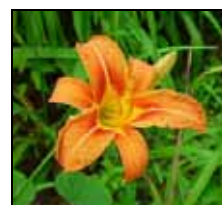
Woodbine or Virginia Creeper (*Parthenocissus quinquefolia*) - Vigorous vine; tough; low maintenance; maroon fall color; tolerates alkaline soil. Grows in sun or shade in moist or dry soil.
Pierson's Price: \$10.00 - 1.5 gallon pot



Dead Nettles (*Lamium maculatum*) - Dense, fast growing groundcover with pink or white flower spikes. Leaves are variegated. Grows in full to partial shade and in well drained soils.
Pierson's Price: \$4.50 - 1 gallon pot



Daylilies (*Hemerocallis* sp.) - Prefers partial shade to full sun and a variety of soils. Should be planted in masses, as individual plants are short-lived. Spread rapidly. Varieties have spreads of 2-3 feet. (Fulva is the native variety – pictured at right).
Pierson's Price: \$4.00 to \$8.00 - 1 gallon pot



Black Cohosh (*Cimicifuga racemosa*) - Perennial groundcover with long, slender, fragrant white flowers that bloom late summer to fall. Prefers full shade and well-drained soils. Makes an excellent cut flower.
Pierson's Price: \$4.75 - 1 gallon pot



Lady Fern (*Athyrium filix femina*) - A fast growing fern. Grows best in shade and in soils with adequate drainage. Grows to 1.5 feet with a similar spread. Works well as a groundcover.
Pierson's Price: \$8.00 - 1.5 gallon pot



