



## The Tree Place Perennial Selection Guide

It is sometimes difficult to choose just the right perennial for a desired area. We created a list of the perennial selection that gives an average height and spread that may be helpful in choosing a suitable tree. Rate of growth refers to the vertical increase in growth unless specified differently. Rate, as is true for size, is influenced by numerous variables such as soil, drainage water, fertility, light, exposure, and infinitum.

### **Perennial (afternoon or 6+ hours of sun):**

<b>Plant Size</b>	<b>Size</b>	<b>Bloom Color</b>	<b>Bloom Season</b>
Anisacanthus	3'x2'	Red	Summer
Anisacanthus Wrightii	3'x2'	Orange	Summer
Artemesia	3'x4'	Gray foliage	Spring-Fall
Balloon Flower	18"x18"	White/Pink/Blue	Summer
Banana	8-12'x4-6'	N/A	N/A
Banana Poquito	4-6'x3-4'	N/A	N/A
Bluebonnet (Lupine)	9"x6"	Blue/White/Maroon	Late Spring
Butterfly Weed	2'x18"	Orange	Summer
Caesalpina	3-6'x2'	White/Orange	Summer
Candytuft	9"x1'	White	Spring
Canna Lily	2-6'x2'	Yellow/Coral/Red	Summer
Cigar Plant (Cuphea)	2'x2'	Red	Summer
Cleome	2-3'x1'	Purple/White	Summer
Cone Flower	2-3'x1'	Multiple colors	Summer

Coreopsis Early Sunrise	18"x1'	Yellow	Summer
Coreopsis Big Bang	1'x1'	Maroon	Summer
Coreopsis Cosmic Eye	1'x1'	Maroon with Yellow	Summer
Coreopsis Moonglow	1'x1'	Clear Yellow	Summer
Coreopsis Crème Brulee	1'x1'	Yellow	Summer
Daisy Blackfoot	1'x 18"	White	Summer
Daylily	18"x18"	Yellow/Red/Purple	Summer
Datura Moonflower	2'x3'	White	Summer
Euphorbia	6"x 9"	White	Summer
Euphorbia Ascot	18"x1'	Variegated Foliage	Spring-Fall
Gaura	2'x2'	White/Pink	Summer
Hardy Hibiscus	3-5'x3'+	White/Pink/Red	Summer
Ice Plant Delosperma	6"x1'	Multiple Colors	Summer
Iris Bearded	18"x1'	Multiple Colors	Late Spring
Iris Bi Color	2'x18"	White w/ Purple	Summer
Lamb's Ear	1'x2'	Lavender	Summer
Lantana	6"-3'x3'	Multiple Colors	Summer
Lavender	2'x2'	Purple	Summer
Lythrum Loosestrife	2'x18"	Magenta	Summer
Lisianthus Tx. Bluebell	9"x 9"	Blue/Pink/White	Summer
Monarda Bee Balm	2'x18"	Red/Blue	Summer
Passionvine	6-8'x1'	Purple/Red/White	Summer
Phlox Thrift	9"x1'	Pink/Blue	Early Spring
Phlox Summer	2'x1'	White/Pink/Purple	Summer
Poppy	15"x1'	Orange	Summer
Plumbago Cape	2-3'x2'	Light Blue	Summer
Plumbago Lead Wart	6"-1'x1'	Dark Blue	Summer
Rosemary sp.	2-3'x3'	Lavender	Summer
Rosemary Trailing	18"x2'	Lavender	Summer
Rudbeckia	18"x18"	Yellow	Summer
Ruella Katie's Dwarf	1'x1'	White/Blue/Pink	Summer
Russian Sage	3'x3'	Light Blue	Summer
Salvia Angel Wings	18"x18"	N/A	N/A
Salvia Amante	2'x1'	Blue/Magenta	Summer
Salvia Black n Blue	2'x1'	Black stem/Blue	Summer
Salvia April/May Night	18"x18"	Blue	Summer

Salvia Mexican Bush	2-3'x2'	Blue	Fall
Salvia Henry Dulerberg	3'x2'	Blue	Summer
Salvia Greggii	2-3'x2'	Multiple Colors	Summer
Shasta Daisy	2'x18"	White	Summer
Shasta Daisy Snow Lady	1'x1'	White	Summer
Shasta Daisy Double	1'-18"x1'	White	Summer
Skullcap	6"x1'	Pink/Purple	Summer
Society Garlic	18"x1'	Pink	Summer
Tecoma	3'x3'	Coral to Red	Summer
Texas Betony	18"x19"	Red	Summer
Thyme	4"x6"	Lavender	Summer
Turks Cap	3'x2-3'	Red/White/Mauve	Summer
Verbena Homestead	6"x18"	Purple	Summer
Verbena Babylon	1'x1'	White/Pink/Red	Summer
Veronica Sunny Border	18"x1'	White/Blue	Summer
Veronica Gooseneck	18"x1'	White	Summer
Veronica Georgia Blue	1'x18"	Blue	Summer

### **Shade Perennial:**

Asiatic Lily	1'-18"x1'	Multiple Colors	Spring & Fall
Asarum Chinese Ginger	9"x 1'	N/A	N/A
Clematis	6-8'x6"-1'	Multiple Colors	Summer
Columbine	18"x 1'	White/Pink/Blue	Spring
Columbine TX. Gold	18"x 1'	Yellow	Spring & Fall
Dianthus Fire Witch	9"-1'x18"	Light to Dark Pink	Summer
Dianthus Ice Maiden	9"x1'	Magenta Pink w/ White	Summer
Dianthus Carnation	9"x6"	Pink/Peach/Red	Summer
Heucha Coral Bell	6"x9"	Burgundy foliage	Spring-Fall
Hosta	1-3'x2-3'	Lavender/White	Summer
Helleborus Lenten Rose	18"x18"	White/Pink/Mauve	Early Spring
Lamium Silver Beacon	6"x1'	Variegated Foliage	Spring-Fall
Peony	18"x18"	White/Pink/Red	Late Spring