



Drought Tolerant Planting

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Tips:

- ✓ Make sure the plant is in a suitable area for its needs. (Shade loving in shade, sun loving in sun.)
- ✓ The sun and wind can deplete plant moisture. Drought tolerant plants can protect less hardy plants from the elements.
- ✓ Use mulch around the base of the plant, this will provide nutrients, protect the roots, and help retain valuable moisture.
- ✓ Check the soil, if it is wet, don't water yet.
- ✓ Most drought tolerant plants will utilize the water they are given. Generally the extra water does not do them any good, they just take it up and release it in to the air.
- ✓ Once plants are established (root system has grown out into surrounding soil) water times and amounts can be decreased.
- ✓ Group drought tolerant plants together to keep watering consistent.

Trees:

Golden Rain

Pines

Oaks

Locusts

Lindens

Japanese Pagoda

Shrubs:

Butterfly Bush

Blue Mist Shrub

Cotoneaster

Junipers

Lavender

Creeping Mahonia

Oregon Grape

Pyracantha

Sumac

Wild Rose

Sage

Ground Covers/Vines:

Snow in Summer

Silver Lace Vine

Wisteria

Perennials/Annuals/Bulbs:

Yarrow

Coreopsis

Gaillardia

Crane's Bill

Iris

Red Hot Poker

Liatris (Gay Feather)

Evening Primrose

Sage

Salvia

Sedum

Stone Crop

Lamb's Ear

Yucca

*This is not a complete list of drought tolerant Plants. Information compiled from Sunset national Garden Book