

Where Purchase Native Plants

[Earth Tones Native Plants](http://earthtonesnatives.com) (earthtonesnatives.com) is a native plant nursery located in Woodbury, CT. and offers perennials, shrubs, trees, grasses and ferns native to our region. Since opening in 2004, owners Kyle and Lisa Turoczi have been growing plants from locally-sourced seed. From wetlands to woodlands Earth Tones has plants that will enhance your garden and property. The Nursery also provides landscape design, consulting, installation and maintenance services. Check out the site's [Native Plant Search Wizard](#), which helps you find the right plant by choosing desired characteristics such as plant type, flower or berry color, exposure/light requirements, soil conditions and attraction to wildlife. The nursery is open from April through October.

[Tiny Meadow Farm](http://tinymeadowfarm.com) (tinymeadowfarm.com) Tiny Meadow Farm nursery located in Danbury, CT, offers native wildflowers and grasses. Seeds are responsibly collected to produce local ecotypes of a variety of native plants endemic to the area. Tiny Meadow Farm also offers on-site custom garden consulting. Visits can be tailored to help you create an ecological garden plan, choose site-appropriate native plant species, develop an organic maintenance plan, or enhance landscape resiliency. Open Saturdays and Sunday, 9am to 2pm or by appointment.

[UrbanScapes Native Plant Nursery](http://Menunkatuck.org/urbanscapes-native-plant-nursery) (Menunkatuck.org/urbanscapes-native-plant-nursery) UrbanScapes Native Plant Nursery is a collaboration between the Menunkatuck Audubon Society and New Haven's Community Placemaking Engagement Network to engage young people in the productive use of public spaces and vacant lots. Four youths are growing native plants for free distribution to inner-city residents and sale in other areas. Native shrubs and perennials also sold to the general public from the Nursery. Open Saturdays 9am to noon.

[Native](http://www.anativeplantnursery.com) in Fairfield (www.anativeplantnursery.com) opened in May 2018. The nursery stocks a diverse selection of the region's native plant species, from trees and shrubs to ferns, wildflower and grasses. Owner, William Kenny also provides landscape architecture services, focusing on ecologically sound landscape design.

[Nasami Farm](http://newenglandwild.org) in Whately, MA, (newenglandwild.org) is the New England Wildflower Society's native plant nursery. Its primary focus is growing plants from seeds that have been collected in the wild by a team of trained staff and volunteers who research and document local sources of healthy, wild populations of native plants. Plants are sold to the public in its seasonal garden shop.

[Eco59](#) is a farmer-led seed collective. Shop online for seeds to start outdoors in fall and winter. Eco59 seeds are harvested from locally grown native plants (CT's ecoregion 59). Many of these ecotypes need winter stratification in order to initiate the process of germination. Seed packets come with a simple guide to winter sowing.

Annual Native Plant Sales

[Bartlett Arboretum & Gardens](http://bartlettarboretum.org), Stamford (bartlettarboretum.org). Native plant sale is held the second Saturday in May.

[Audubon Greenwich](http://Greenwich.audubon.org) (Greenwich.audubon.org) Native plant sale held in May. Check website for specific dates, location and plant lists. Pre-ordering is encouraged.

[Menunkatuck Audubon Society](http://menunkatuck.org), Guilford (menunkatuck.org) Native plant sale for birds is held the third week in May. Check website for specific dates, location and plant lists. Pre-ordering is encouraged.

[Northwest Conservation District](#) - Earth Day Plant Sale held in April at the Gosen Fairgrounds.

North Central Conservation District - Plant Sale held in May at Tolland County Agricultural Center, Vernon and 4-H Education Center in Bloomfield.

Eastern Connecticut Conservation District - Spring Plant Sale held in April at Ocean State Job Lot Building, Gales Ferry and Brooklyn Fairgrounds, Brooklyn.

Connecticut River Coastal Conservation District - Plant and Seedling Sale held in April at Westbrook Outlets, Westbrook.

Go to conservect.org to link to individual districts and find plant sale lists as well as information on pre-ordering. Day-of sales are also available at each location.

[The Native Plant Center](#) at Westchester Community College, held in April at 75 Grasslands Road, Valhalla, NY.