

## Plant Resources

# Best Shade Tolerant Plants

**L** = Light Shade Tolerance (4-6 hours of direct sunlight per day, preferably in the morning)

**M** = Medium Shade Tolerance (3-4 hours of direct sunlight a day, or dappled shade the whole day)

**H** = Heavy Shade Tolerance (Less than 3 hours of direct sunlight per day)

KEY

### TREES

Blue Beech (L)	Redbud (L)
Fall Fiesta Sugar Maple (L)	River Birch (L)
Pagoda Dogwood (M)	Serviceberry (L)
Hydrangea Tree Form (L)	Viburnum (L-M)
Mountain Ash (L)	

### EVERGREEN

Arborvitae (L)
Balsam Fir (L)
Russian Cypress (L)
Yew (L-H)



## SHRUBS

Azalea (L)	Hazelnut (L)
Boxwood (L)	*Hydrangea (L-H)
Bush Honeysuckle (L-M)	Snowberry (L)
Celtic Pride Siberian Cypress (L)	Sumac (Fragrant Gro-Low) (L)
Chokeberry (L)	*Viburnum (L-M)
Clethra (Summersweet) (L)	Serviceberry (L)
Currant (L-M)	Witch Hazel (L)
Dogwood (L-M)	Winterberry (L)

## PERENNIALS & GROUNDCOVER

Ajuga (L-H)	Hakone Grass (L-M)
Anenome (L)	Hosta (L-H)
Aralia (L-M)	Jacob's Ladder (L-M)
Astilbe (L-M)	Lady's Mantle (L-M)
Balloon Flower (L)	Lamium (L-H)
Bee Balm (L)	Ligularia (L-M)
Goatsbeard (L-H)	Lily of the Valley (L-H)

\*Variety Dependent

## PERENNIALS & GROUNDCOVER CONTINUED

Bellflower (L)	Foxglove (L-M)
Bergenia (L)	Lobelia (L-M)
Bleeding Heart (L-H)	Lungwort (L-H)
Blue-eyed Grass (L-M)	Pachysandra (L-H)
Brunnera (L-M)	Prairie Dropseed Grass (L)
Coral Bells (L)	Sedge (Carex) (L-H)
Columbine (L-M)	Snakeroot (L)
Cranesbill (Geranium) (L-M)	Snow on the Mountain (L-H)
Culver's Root (L)	Solomon's Seal (L-H)
Ferns (L-H)	Spiderwort (L-M)
Foamflower (Tiarella) (L-M)	Turtlehead (Chelone) (L-M)
Foamy Bells (L)	Vinca (L-H)



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