



Deer resistant means a plant is unappealing to deer so they are less likely to be damaged. That does not mean the plant is immune to deer "tasting" the plants. **No plant is deer proof** because hungry, desperate deer will eat almost any type of plant.

Deer resistant plants often have strong scents, fuzzy or prickly textures, bitter tastes, or toxicity. By choosing deer-resistant plants, you can enjoy a beautiful yard and a productive garden that's less tempting to wildlife.

ANNUALS

Celosia
Coleus
Cosmos
Dusty Miller
Heliotrope
Lantana
Marigold
Salvia/Sage
Snapdragon
Sweet Alyssum
Verbena
Vinca
Zinnia

PERENNIALS

Anise Hyssop
Aster
Bee Balm
Blanket Flower
Butterfly Bush
Brunnera
Candytuft
Catmint
Coneflower
Coreopsis
Firebush
Foxflove
Lamb's Ear

GRASSES

Feather Grass
Fountain Grass
Maiden Grass
Muhly Grass
Pampas Grass
Ribbon Grass
Sedge
Sweet Flag

GROUND COVERS

Ajuga
Asian Jasmine
Dead Nettle
Hens and Chicks
Ice Plant
Japanese Spurge
Liriope
Loosestrife
Mondo Grass
Thyme

SHRUBS

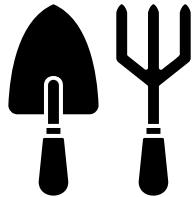
Abelia
Althea
Barberry
Bougainvillea
Boxwood
Carolina Jessamine
Chaste Tree
Crape Myrtle
Crossvine
Esperanza
False Cypress
Forsythia
Gardenia
Juniper

Mallow Hibiscus
Nandina
Oleander
Passionvine
Pyracantha
Rose of Sharon
Silverberry
Spirea

TX Mountain Laurel
Texas Sage
Weigela
Yucca
Viburnum

Remember

**Deer-Resistant
does not mean
Deer-Proof.
Hungry deer
may still
sample, but
these choices
lower the risk.**



Don't Plant Too Early (or Too Late)

Trust us! East Texas weather can be tricky. Plant too early, a freeze will kill your plants. Plant too late, and the heat will stop them from thriving.



Water Deep, Not Daily.

Roots go where the water goes and you want strong roots that are deep. Train them to dig deep and your plants will be so much happier (and so will you).



Mulch heavy.

Keeps your soil cool in the summer and warm in the winter with mulch. Your plants will like it and your weeds won't like it. Plus, it looks pretty and who doesn't like pretty things in the garden?

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