

Ornamental Trees Suitable for Smaller Gardens

(suggestions by Steve Roberts, Morreys Forest Nursery)

	Evergreen (E) or Deciduous (D)		Height after 10 years (m)
Acer Campestre Carnival (Field Maple)	D	Hardy, native bushy tree giving excellent autumn colour. White leaf margins. Pink growing tips.	Up to 3m
Acer Pseudoplatanus Brilliantissimum (Sycamore)	D	Very slow growing and compact. Spring foliage is beautifully suffused coral-pink.	Up to 3m
Acer Platanoides Princeton Gold (Norway Maple)	D	An attractive new golden species which holds its colour throughout the summer.	Up to 5m
Aesculus Baumonii (Horse Chestnut)	D	Slow growing. Double white candles that do not set 'conkers'.	Up to 8m+
Amelanchier Canadensis Globe	D	Shapely small tree with a very compact rounded head and a mass of white flowers in April. Brilliant autumn tints.	Up to 4m
Amelanchier Grandiflora La Paloma	D	Pure white pendulous racemes on coppery red foliage in April. Forms excellent round-headed tree.	Up to 3m
Amelanchier Snowflake	D	Ascending habit. Stunning show of extra large white single flowers with copper foliage.	Up to 3m
Amelanchier R.J. Hilton	D	Pink flowers in bud, opening to white, contrasting with deep copper coloured leaves. Good autumn colours.	Up to 3m
Betula Jacquemontii Inverleith	D	Outstanding white trunk and branches. Very large glossy leaves.	Up to 5m
Betula Golden Beauty	D	A golden leaved form. Bright and cheerful. Leaves don't scorch.	Up to 5m
Betula Pinnacle Fargo	D	Orange brown trunk when young, turning to orange then much paler. Good autumn colour.	Up to 5m
Cotoneaster Cornubia	Semi-evergreen	Vigorous semi-evergreen, with masses of bright red berries in autumn and winter.	Up to 5m
Cotoneaster Waterii	Semi-evergreen	Fast growing semi-evergreen with large scarlet berries borne in profusion.	Up to 6m
Crataegus Prunifolia (Flowering Hawthorn)	D	Compact, glossy green foliage, large bright red haws, good autumn colour.	Up to 5m
Cytisus Battandierii (Pineapple Broom)	D	Scented upright golden flowers in July. Semi-evergreen. Likes sheltered position.	Up to 4m
Fagus Sylvatica Purpurea Pendula (Weeping Copper Beech)	D	Weeping form of the purple beech. Rich red foliage.	Over 5m
Gleditsia triacanthos 'Sunburst'	D	Fast growing. No fruit. Delightful gold, fern-like foliage.	Up to 4m
Gleditsia Ruby Lace	D	Fern-like purple foliage.	Up to 4m
Laburnum Vossii	D	Free-growing hybrid with long racemes of golden flowers.	Up to 3m
Malus Scarlet (Crab Apple)	D	Bright shiny blood-red leaves turning to green, then brilliant autumn colours. Rich pink blossom.	Up to 3m
Malus Guardsman (Crab Apple)	D	Oak-like scarlet leaves. Upright variety with pink flowers.	Up to 3m
Malus Golden Hornet (Crab Apple)	D	Upright. White flowers, prolific bright golden fruit until November.	Up to 3m

Malus Princetown Cardinal (Crab Apple)	D	Laden with bright red blossom early in season. Glossy red foliage. Deep red fruits in autumn.	Up to 5m
Prunus Pandora (Ornamental Cherry)	D	Soft pink blossoms in March. Bronze foliage in spring (shades of orange and red) in spring.	Up to 3m
Prunus Padus Waterii (Bird Cherry)	D	Bears buddleia-like sprays of white, slightly fragrant flowers in April and May. Small black fruits.	Up to 5m
Prunus Hesii (Ornamental Cherry)	D	Very unusual and attractive plant with lots of white flowers in March. Mottled pink and purple foliage. Ideal for patio.	Up to 2m
Pyracantha Washingtonia Pendula (Firethorn)	E	Weeping evergreen. White flowers in April/May, followed by orange berries. Can be clipped.	Up to 3m
Salix Caprea Pendula (Kilmarnock Willow)	D	Stiffly pendulous branches, with 'pussey' catkins on bare shoots in early spring.	Up to 3m
Salix Purpurea Pendula (Weeping Purple Willow)	D	Small willow with purple shoots and delicate glaucous leaves.	Up to 4m
Sorbus Vilmorinii (Mountain Ash)	D	Spreading habit. Fern-like foliage. Rose-red fruits turn to pale pink.	Up to 3m
Sorbus Cashmeriana (Mountain Ash)	D	Himalayan species. Fern-like foliage and pinkish flowers, followed by very large white fruits.	Up to 3m

Ornamental Shrubs

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	Evergreen (E) or Deciduous (D)		Height after 10 years (cm)
Cotoneaster Hybrida Pendula	E	Striking evergreen shrub or weeping tree with glossy leaves and long arching branches. Brilliant red fruits in abundance during autumn and winter.	180
Elaeagnus Angustifolia Caspica	E	Excellent tough shrub with striking silver leaves.	150
Japanese Acers (Japanese Maple)	D	Brilliant autumn colours.	typically 120
Photinia Red Robin	E	Brilliant red new growths in spring.	120
Prunus Triloba	D	Popular dwarf shrub, bearing bright pink rosettes all along the stems in March and April.	90
Robinia Twisty Baby	D	Small pale-green curly leaves on twisted stems. Very ornamental in tubs on patio.	Up to 3m
Syringa Palibiniana (Lilac)	D	Miniature lilac. Fragrant mauve flowers in May.	60
Viburnum Tinus	E	Dense habit. Pink flowers from autumn to early spring.	120

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