

Ornamental Trees Suitable for Smaller Gardens

(suggestions by Steve Roberts, Morreys Forest Nursery)

| | Evergreen (E) or Deciduous (D) | | Height after 10 years (m) |
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| 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 |

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| 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) |
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| 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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