

# Easy-to-grow Florida wildflowers

## Florida's wildflowers

- Provide habitat for bees responsible for every third bite of food we eat
- Curb water use in landscapes
- Reduce water and air pollution
- Beautify communities and roadsides
- Contribute to a sense of place that is uniquely La Florida

## What you can do

- Landscape with Florida native wildflowers and plants
- Stop using pesticides, which harm bees and other beneficial insects
- Stop using fertilizer, which harms waterways and lake
- Ask your county to preserve roadside wildflowers
- Work with lawmakers to preserve and conserve natural resources and lands

## Resources

www.FlaWildflowers.org  
www.PlantRealFlorida.org  
www.FloridaWildflowers.com  
www.FNPS.org



These wildflowers are adapted to an average moderate to dry garden in all regions of Florida. They grow best with 6 or more hours of sun and will thrive without regular irrigation once established.

<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	Butterflyweed	Orange / red	S/SS
<i>Berlandiera spp</i>	Greeneyes	Yellow	S/SS
<i>Carphephorus corymbosus</i>	Chaffhead / Paintbrush	Purple	SS/F
<i>Chamaecrista fasciculata</i>	Partridge pea	Yellow	SS/F
<i>Coreopsis leavenworthii</i>	Leavenworth's tickseed	Yellow	S/SS
<i>Gaillardia pulchella</i>	Blanketflower	Red / yellow	SS/F
<i>Gaura angustifolia</i>	Southern beeblossom	Pink	S/SS/F
<i>Helianthus debilis</i>	Beach sunflower	Yellow	SS/F
<i>Liatis spp</i>	Blazing star	Purple	SS/F
<i>Monarda punctata</i>	Spotted horsemint	White	SS/F
<i>Penstemon multiflorus</i>	White beardtongue	White	SS
<i>Pityopsis graminifolia</i>	Silkgrass	Yellow	SS/F
<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Black-eyed Susan	Yellow	SS/S
<i>Ruellia caroliniensis</i>	Wild petunia	Blue	S/SS
<i>Salvia coccinea</i>	Tropical sage	Red	S/SS/F
<i>Solidago sempervirens</i>	Seaside goldenrod	Yellow	SS/F
<i>Symphotrichum dumosum</i>	Rice button aster	White / pale purple	SS/F
<i>Trichostema dichotomum</i>	Blue curls	Blue	SS/F

Additional wildflowers for North/Central Florida gardens:

<i>Coreopsis lanceolata</i>	Threadleaf tickseed	Yellow	S/SS
<i>Phlox pilosa</i>	Downy phlox	Pink	S/SS
<i>Rudbeckia laciniata</i>	Cutleaf coneflower	Yellow	S/SS
<i>Silphium spp</i>	Rosinweed	Yellow	SS/F
<i>Solidago odora</i>	Fragrant goldenrod	Yellow	SS/F
<i>Vernonia spp</i>	Ironweed	Purple	SS/F

Additional wildflowers for South/Central Florida gardens:

<i>Flaveria linearis</i>	Yellowtops	Yellow	S/SS/F
<i>Glandularia tampensis</i>	Tampa verbena	Blue / purple	S
<i>Heliotropium angiospermum</i>	Scorpiontail	White	S/SS/F
<i>Jacquemontia pentanthos</i>	Key West morning glory vine	Blue	F/W/S
<i>Palafoxia feayi</i>	Feay's Palafoxia	White / pink	SS/F
<i>Passiflora suberosa</i>	Corkystem passionflower	Green	S/SS/F
<i>Rivinia humilis</i>	Rouge plant	Pale pink / white	S/SS/F
<i>Stachytarpheta jamaicensis</i>	Blue porterweed	Blue	S/SS/F

S= Blooms in spring; SS=Blooms in summer; F=Blooms in fall; W=Blooms in winter