

WILDFLOWERS, GRASSES, SHRUBS & TREES NATIVE TO CENTRAL ILLINOIS



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WILDFLOWERS:	<u>Scientific name</u>	<u>Common name</u>
	Amorpha canesens	Lead plant
	Andropogon scoparius	Little Bluestem
	Anemone patens	Pasque flower
	Asclepias syriaca	Common milkweed
	Asclepias tuberosa	Butterfly milkweed
	Aster novae-angliae	New England Aster
	Baptisia leucophaea	Cream wild Indigo
	Ceanothus americanus	New Jersey Tea
	Coreopsis palmata	Prairie Coreopsis
	Dodecatheon meadia	Shooting Star
	Echinacea purpurea	Purple Coneflower
	Elymus Canadensis	Canada Wild Rye
	Eryngium yuccifolium	Rattlesnake Master
	Eupatorium perfoloatum	Boneset
	Euphorbia corollata	Flowering Spurge
	Gentiana quinquefolia	Stiff Gentian
	Liatris aspera	Rough Blazing Star
	Monarda fistulosa	Wild Bergamot
	Panicum virgatum	Switch Grass
	Petalostemum candidum	White Prairie Clover
	Petalostemum purpureum	Purple Prairie Clover
	Physostegia virginiana	Obedient Plant
	Potentilla arguta	Prairie Cinquefoil
	Rudbeckia hart	Black-eyed Susan
	Sophism integrifolium	Rosin weed
	Sophism laciniatum	Compass plant
	Sophism perfoliatum	Cup Plant
	Sophism terebinthinaceum	Prairie Dock
	Solidago speciosa	Showy Goldenrod
	Solidago rigida	Rigid Goldenrod
	Sorghastrum nutans	Indian Grass
	Spartan festinate	Prairie Cord Grass
	Spurious heterolysis	Prairie Dropsied
	Veronica strum virginicum	Culver's root
	Viola pedatifida	Prairie Violet
	Zamia aurea	Golden Alexander
SHRUBS	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Common Name</u>
	Aronia melanocarpa	Black Chokeberry
	Ceanothus Americanus	New Jersey Tea
	Cephalanthus occidentalis	Common Buttonbush
	Cornus racemosa	Grey Dogwood
	Cornus stolonifera	Red-osier Dogwood
	Corylus Americana	American hazel
	Hypericum prolificum	Shrubby St. John's wort

Ilex verticillata
 Lindera benzoin
 Physocarpus opulifolius
 Prunus Americana
 Rhus aromatica
 Rhus glabra
 Salix humilis
 Sambucus Canadensis
 Staphylea trifolia
 Symphoricarpos orbiculatus
 Viburnum acerfolium
 Viburnum rafinesquianum

Black alder
 Spicebush
 Ninebark
 Wild Plum
 Fragrant Sumac
 Smooth Sumac
 Prairie Willow
 Common Elderberry
 American bladdernut
 Coralberry
 Maple-leaved arrowwood
 Downy Arrowwood

SMALL TREES

Scientific Name

Common Name

Amelanchier arborea
 Asimina triloba
 Carpinus caroliniana
 Cercis canadensis
 Cornus alternifolia
 Cornus florida
 Crataegus mollis
 Hamamelis virginiana
 Ostrya virginiana
 Viburnum lentago
 Viburnum prunifolium

Downy serviceberry
 Pawpaw
 American Hornbeam
 Eastern Redbud
 Alternate-leaved dogwood
 Flowering dogwood
 Downy hawthorn
 Common Witchhazel
 Ironwood
 Nannyberry
 Blackhaw

MEDIUM-LARGE TREES

Scientific Name

Common Name

Acer rubrum
 Aesculus glabra
 Populus tremuloides
 Prunus Virginiana
 Sassafras albidum
 Acer saccharinum
 Acer saccharum
 Betula nigra
 Carya illinoensis
 Carya ovate
 Celtis occidentalis
 Fraxinus Americana
 Fraxinus pennsylvanica
 Gleditsia triacanthos
 Gymnocladus dioicus
 Juglans nigra
 Liquidamber styraciflu
 Liriodendron tulipifera
 Nyssa sylvatica
 Platanus occidentalis
 Populus deltoides
 Quercus alba
 Quercus macrocarpa
 Quercus muehlenbergii
 Quercus rubra
 Quercus Velutina
 Tilia Americana

Red Maple
 Ohio Buckeye
 Quacking Aspen
 Common chokeberry
 Sassafras
 Silver maple
 Sugar maple
 Bitternut Hickory
 Pecan
 Shagbark Hickory
 Hackberry
 White Ash
 Green Ash
 Common Honey Locust
 Kentucky coffee tree
 Black walnut
 Sweet gum
 Tulip tree
 Black Gum
 American Sycamore
 Eastern Cottonwood
 White Oak
 Bur oak
 Chinquapin Oak
 Northern Red Oak
 Black oak
 Linden (American Basswood)