

Resources on Native Plants

Extension Publications

- Extension Gardener Handbook, Chapter 12: Native Plants.
<https://content.ces.ncsu.edu/extension-gardener-handbook/12-native-plants>
- Landscaping for Wildlife with Native Plants.
<https://content.ces.ncsu.edu/landscaping-for-wildlife-with-native-plants>
- Butterflies in Your Backyard. <https://content.ces.ncsu.edu/butterflies-in-your-backyard>

Websites

- Going Native: Urban Landscaping for Wildlife with Native Plants.
<https://projects.ncsu.edu/goingnative/>
- North Carolina Native Plant Society. <http://www.ncwildflower.org>
- NC Native Plant Society, Recommended Species.
http://www.ncwildflower.org/native_plants/recommendations
- Audubon Society, Native Plants Database. <https://www.audubon.org/native-plants>
- Forsyth Audubon Society: Bird-Friendly Native Plants.
<http://www.forsythaudubon.org/Conservation/BirdfriendlyYards/NativeTreesandShrubs.aspx>

Books

- *Native Plants of the Southeast: A Comprehensive Guide to the Best 460 Species for the Garden.* Larry Mellichamp.
- *Bringing Nature Home: How You Can Sustain Wildlife with Native Plants.* Douglas W. Tallamy.

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