



Learning Resource Center  
Cape Fear Community College  
Wilmington, North Carolina

## Selected Landscape Gardening

### *Print Resources:*

**Arboriculture: integrated management of landscape trees, shrubs, and vines**  
North Campus SB 435 .H317 1999

**Annuals and biennials: the definitive reference with over 1000 photographs**  
North Campus GB 422 .P453 2002

**The color encyclopedia of ornamental grasses: sedges, rushes, restios, cat-tails, and selected bamboos**  
North Campus Reference SB 431.7 .D363 1999

**The complete book of plant propagation**  
North Campus Reference SB 119 .C65 1997

**Designing with plants: creative ideas from America's best gardeners**  
North Campus SB 407 .D42 2001

**Dirr's trees and shrubs for warm climates: an illustrated encyclopedia**  
North Campus Reference SB 435.52 .S86 D57 2002

**Diseases of trees and shrubs**  
North Campus Reference SB 762 .S56 2005

**Exploring garden style: creative ideas from America's best gardeners**  
North Campus SB 466 .U6 E86 2001

**Flora: a gardener's encyclopedia: over 20,000 plants**  
North Campus Reference SB 403.2 .F66 2003

**The front garden: new approaches to landscape design**  
North Campus SB 473 .S566 1991

**The greenhouse and nursery handbook: a complete guide to growing and selling ornamental container plants**  
North Campus SB 415 .J68 2000

**Growing a beautiful garden: a landscape guide for the Coastal Carolinas**  
SB 407 .R43 1997  
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**Introduction to landscaping: design, construction, and maintenance**

North Campus SB 473 .B526 2000

**The National Arboretum book of outstanding garden plants: the authoritative guide to selecting and growing the most beautiful, durable, and care-free garden plants in North America**

North Campus SB 407 .H493 1990

**North American plantfile: a visual guide to plant selection, for use in landscape gardening**

Reference SB 435 .H533 1998

**North Carolina gardener's guide**

SB 407 .B58 2002

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**Pirone's tree maintenance**

North Campus SB 761 .H34 2000

**Propagation basics**

North Campus SB 119 .B73 2002

**Pruning basics**

North Campus SB 125 .S68 2001

**The pruning of trees, shrubs, and conifers**

North Campus SB 125 .B76 2004

**Rodale's all-new encyclopedia of organic gardening: the indispensable resource for every gardener**

SB 453.5 .R633 1997

**The story of gardening**

North Campus SB 470.5 .H63 2002

**Topiary and the art of training plants**

North Campus SB 463 .J69 2000

**Turfgrass science and management**

North Campus SB 433 .E44 2000

**The well-designed mixed garden: building beds and borders with trees, shrubs, perennials, annuals, and bulbs**

North Campus SB 473 .D57 2003

### ***Internet Resources:***

**American Society of Landscape Architects** – learn about the history of landscape architecture, the current state of the profession and about academic programs in landscape architecture. It also features numerous online publications that can be accessed free of charge.

<http://www.asla.org/>

**Brooklyn Botanic Garden** – features gardening articles and growing tips selected from Brooklyn Botanic Garden horticultural newsletters, handbooks, and guides. Topics include gardening techniques, garden design, wildlife gardening, wildflowers, kitchen gardening (vegetables, fruits, herbs, recipes), houseplants, urban gardening, botany, ecology, plant conservation, and pests and diseases.

<http://www.bbg.org/gar2/topics/>

**History of Landscape Architecture** – view images of gardens, agriculture, primitive land, paradise gardens, Medieval gardens, French gardens, as well as landscape architecture in Egypt, Greece, Rome, and Boston. Images on this site accompany a college course on the history of landscape architecture.

<http://darkwing.uoregon.edu/~helphand/homepage.html>

**If Plants Could Talk** (Rutgers University) – features gardening tips from university experts, successful farmers, master gardeners and many other plant experts. Topics include new and interesting plant varieties, safe and effective pest control, and step-by-step cultural tips for landscapes and gardens.

<http://www.ifplantscouldtalk.rutgers.edu/>

**Native Gardening and Invasive Plants Guide** (National Wildlife Federation) – offers an invasive plant guide, as well as information on native plant gardening, including a state specific plant search.

[http://www.enature.com/native\\_invasive/](http://www.enature.com/native_invasive/)

**North Carolina Cooperative Extension** – helps gardeners learn more about new plants, native plants, plant selection, cultural practices and pest management. The website features sections on Agriculture and Food, Lawn and Garden, Forest Resources, and links to a variety of online publications.

<http://www.ces.ncsu.edu/>

**Occupational Outlook Handbook** – a job profile of landscape architects. Read about the nature of the work, working conditions, training, job outlook, and earnings.

<http://www.bls.gov/oco/print/ocos039.htm>

**Plants Database** (USDA) – offers a large database of plant names, a plant photo gallery, plant fact sheets, information about culturally significant plants, information about noxious and invasive plants, plant characteristics information, threatened and endangered plant information, and wetland plant information.

<http://plants.usda.gov/>

**Plant Facts** (Ohio State University) – provides an online plant dictionary that is fully searchable and provides information on many plants, pests, and contains a history of Horticulture and Crop Science.  
<http://plantfacts.osu.edu/images.lasso>

**Tree Facts Sheets** (Virginia Tech) – offers this website which features fact sheets on hundreds of species of trees. Each fact sheet features a profile and photos of each species.  
[http://www.cnr.vt.edu/dendro/dendrology/syllabus/biglist\\_frame.htm](http://www.cnr.vt.edu/dendro/dendrology/syllabus/biglist_frame.htm)

**University of Florida Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences** – provides a brief overview of landscape design.  
[http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/TOPIC\\_Lawns\\_and\\_Landscapes](http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/TOPIC_Lawns_and_Landscapes)

**U.S. National Arboretum** – conducts research, provides education, and conserves and displays trees, shrubs, flowers, and other plants to enhance the environment. Includes sections on events and education, gardens and horticulture, research activities and, and new plant introductions.  
<http://www.usna.usda.gov/>