






2024 Bellevue Tree Giveaway Reference Chart



Deciduous Trees:



Name	Mature Size	Watering Needs	Light Needs	Soil Conditions	Seasonal Colors	Notes	Image
Garry Oak – <i>Quercus Garryana</i>	Height: 50-65ft Foliage Spread: 50-65ft wide Generally slow-growing	Low once established; summer watering is not desirable during summer after the first couple of years	Prefers full sun, can tolerate partial shade	Prefers well-drained soil, but can tolerate a variety of soil types; avoid seasonally flooding or overly dry soils	Leaves turn coppery-orange to brown in fall	Also known as the Oregon White Oak, this is an essential climate-resilient, drought-tolerant Pacific Northwest native . They drop acorns and have a classic round shape.	

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Serviceberry – <i>Amelanchier Alnifolia</i>	<p>Height: Max 25ft, typically 10-15ft</p> <p>Foliage Spread: 10-15ft wide</p> <p>Generally slow- growing</p> <p>Powerline safe</p>	<p>Low once established</p>	<p>Prefers full sun, but can easily tolerate partial shade</p>	<p>Prefers moist, well-drained soil, but can tolerate a variety of soil types</p>	<p>Blooms from mid- spring to summer with tiny, white flowers; leaves turn red to yellow in fall</p>	<p>Also known as saskatoon, shadbush, or juneberry, this shrubby native tree bears edible fruits which ripen in early summer. These are eaten fresh or dried, and used in pies or jams.</p>	
Vine Maple – <i>Acer circinatum</i>	<p>Height: 15-25ft</p> <p>Foliage Spread: About 20ft wide</p> <p>Powerline safe</p>	<p>Low once established</p>	<p>Partial sun to full shade, will not thrive in full sun</p>	<p>Prefers moist, well-drained soils, but can tolerate a range from somewhat dry to more wet</p>	<p>Leaves open reddish and turn pale green in spring; leaves turn vibrant yellows, oranges, and reds (depending on sun exposure) in fall</p>	<p>This lush, native leafy maple is a great shade and understory tree that serves as a great screen or ornamental planting in yards.</p>	

Evergreen Trees:

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<p>Arborvitae "Northern Spire" – <i>Thuja Plicata</i></p>	<p>Height: 15-20ft Foliage Spread: 4-6ft</p> <p>Powerline safe</p>	<p>Low-moderate once established</p>	<p>Full sun to partial shade, prefers partial sun</p>	<p>Prefers moist, well-drained soil, but can tolerate a wide range of soils, with some tolerance for wet sites.</p>	<p>Turns partially to fully red-brown in fall, which persists through winter.</p>	<p>This is a dwarf variety of the native Arborvitae (also known as the Western Red Cedar) with dense, conical foliage. A very hardy tree requiring little maintenance.</p>	
<p>Coast Redwood – <i>Sequoia Sempervirens</i></p>	<p>Height: around 70ft Foliage spread: 30ft wide</p> <p>Fast-growing in ideal conditions, 2-3ft per year.</p>	<p>When established, low in fall/winter/spring, low-moderate in summer; much more water needed when young</p>	<p>Prefers full sun, can tolerate partial shade</p>	<p>Prefer moist, well-drained soil</p>	<p>Evergreen</p>	<p>Coast Redwoods are a key "new native" (and formerly native, but not invasive) species. These conifers feature an upright, pyramidal shape with dark green needles.</p>	

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Douglas Fir - <i>Pseudotsuga Menziesii</i>	<p>Height: 40-80ft</p> <p>Foliage Spread: 12-20ft wide</p> <p>Fast-growing in ideal conditions, up to 2ft per year.</p>	Low once established	Prefers full sun, can tolerate partial shade	Prefer moist, well-drained soil; can tolerate low-moisture soil	Evergreen	Douglas Firs are an essential part of native Pacific Northwest forests. These conifers feature an upright, pyramidal shape with lush needles. Requires very little maintenance	
Lodgepole or Shore Pine - <i>Pinus Contorta</i>	<p>Height: 40-50ft</p> <p>Foliage Spread: 12-20ft wide</p>	Low once established	Prefers full sun	Prefers well-drained or sandy soil, but is adaptable to many soil conditions, including rocky or even boggy sites	Evergreen	Also known as Twisted Pine, these uniquely shaped Pacific Northwest native trees provide visual interest to yards.	

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Magnolia, "Bracken's Brown Beauty" – <i>Magnolia Grandiflora</i>	Height: 30-50ft Foliage Spread: 15-30ft wide	Moderate once established	Full sun to partial shade	Prefers moist, well-drained soil, can tolerate more damp conditions	"Evergreen" leaves remain on the tree all year, will turn partially to fully copper-bronze in the fall, which persists through winter; blooms in mid-spring to early summer, with large (5-6in wide), very fragrant, creamy-white flowers	This Magnolia variety generally has an oval foliage shape with low canopy, typically only about 3 feet of clearance from the ground. Delicate roots mean gardening activity should be kept away from the tree. This is a non-native species that is not invasive.	 

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Magnolia, "Kay Parris" – <i>Magnolia Grandiflora</i>	<p>Height: 15-20ft</p> <p>Foliage Spread: 8-10ft wide</p> <p>Powerline safe</p>	Moderate once established	Full sun to partial shade	Prefers moist, well-drained soil, can tolerate more damp conditions	Evergreen; blooms starting in late spring with huge (8-10in wide), very fragrant white flowers	<p>The Kay Parris Magnolia variety is a dwarf cultivar with a straight trunk and pyramidal foliage shape. Its leaves have a glossy green top with a brown underside. Delicate roots mean gardening activity should be kept away from the tree. This is a non-native species that is not invasive.</p>	