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Plants That Are Deer Favorites

The following is a list of plants that are sometimes or often eaten by deer, taken from a combination of staff observation over a period of years and several existing lists of "favorite deer plants". However, it should be noted that favorite plants in one area may be left untouched in another. Deer will eat ANYTHING if they are hungry enough. See the other side for a list of plants that deer tend to leave alone.

Herbaceous plants:

Clematis
Cranesbill geranium
Crocus
Daylily
Echinacea spp.
Hollyhock
Hosta
Impatiens
Iris
Ivy, English
Lily
Meadow rue
Mexican sunflower
Pansy
Peony
Phlox
Rose
Sedum
Sunflower
Trillium
Tulip
Wood Hyacinth

Trees and

Shrubs:

Apple
Azalea
Cherry
Clematis
Dogwood,
Cornelian
Eastern redbud
Fir, Balsam
Fir, Fraser
Hemlock
Norway maple,
Rhododendron
Yew

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