

Japanese Beetle: Vulnerable or Resistant?

A list of trees, shrubs, and herbaceous plants that are either resistant or vulnerable to Japanese Beetles



Trees & Shrubs

Resistant

Arborvitae
Ash
Boxwood
Burning Bush
Dogwood

Forsythia
Hemlock
Hickory
Holly
Juniper

Lilac
Magnolia
Northern Red Oak
Pine
Redbud

Red Maple
Spruce
Sweetgum
Tulip Poplar
Yew

Vulnerable

Apple & Crabapple
Beech
Birch
Black Walnut
Crepe Myrtle
Hawthorn

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Horse-Chestnut
Japanese Maple
Larch
Linden
Lombardy Poplar

Norway Maple
Plum
Apricot
Cherry
Peach
Pin Oak

Rose of Sharon
Sassafras
Summersweet
Virginia Creeper
Willow

Herbaceous Plants

Resistant

Ageratum
Begonia
California Poppy
Columbine
Coral Bells

Coreopsis
Dusty Miller
Forget Me Not
Foxglove
Hosta

Impatiens
Lantana
Larkspur
Lily of the Valley
Moss Rose

Nasturtium
Pachysandra
Pansy & Viola
Poppy
Showy Sedum

Herbaceous Plants

Vulnerable

Evening Primrose
Gladiolus
Grape
Hibiscus

Hollyhock
Lily
Morning Glory
Peony

Red Raspberry
Rhubarb
Rose
Soybean

Sunflower
Zinnia