

Pine Tolerant Plants

Plants must grow well in full shade and acidic soil. They should also tolerate dry soil conditions because pine tree roots are quite thirsty and will quickly take in available water. The best plants to grow under pine trees will also mature to just a few feet in height unless the plan is to prune back the lower branches of the pine tree.

Adiantum pedatum
Ajuga cvs.
Alchemilla mollis
Anemone sylvestris
Aquilegia cvs.
Arctostaphylos uva-ursi Massachusetts
Aster divaricatus Eastern Star
Astilbe chinensis cvs.
Athyrium species
Aucuba cvs.
Brunnera macrophylla
Camellia cvs.
Carex species (esp. pennsylvatica)
Convallaria majalis
Daphniphyllum macropodum
Dennstaedtia punctilobula
Deutzia species
Dicentra species
Digitalis species
Dryopteris species
Epimedium cvs.
Fothergilla species
Galium odoratum
Gaultheria procumbens
Geranium maculatum
Hellebore Royal Heritage
Hosta cvs.
Hemerocallis cvs.
Heuchera americana cvs.
Heuchera villosa Autumn Bride
Hosta cvs.
Hydrangea macrophylla (will probably have blue flowers)
Ilex glabra cvs.
Ilex opaca Maryland Dwarf
Ilex verticillata cvs.
Iris cristata cvs.
Iris ensata cvs.
Kalmia latifolia cvs.
Liriope muscari cvs.
Mahonia species
Matteuccia
Osmunda cinnamomea
Phlox stolonifera cvs.
Phlox subulata cvs.
Pieris japonica cvs.
Polystichum acrostichoides



Rhododendrons and deciduous azaleas cvs.

Schizachyrium scoparium cvs.

Skimmia japonica

Tiarella cvs.

Vaccinium angustifolium cvs.

Vaccinium corymbosum cvs.

Viburnum species

