



# Native Plant Resources on BC's South Coast Stores and Demonstration Gardens

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# WHERE TO SHOP FOR NATIVE PLANTS ON THE SOUTH COAST OF BC

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The following are stores that carry native plants available for purchase. Most are retail, but some are wholesale.

Be sure to check the botanical names of plants to confirm you select the correct species native to BC.

## METRO VANCOUVER

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### Dykhof Nurseries

460 Mountain Hwy, North Vancouver

604-985-1914

[www.florist-northvancouver.ca](http://www.florist-northvancouver.ca)

Good selection of native species

### GardenWorks

705 Third St. West, North Vancouver

604-988-8082

[www.gardenworks.ca](http://www.gardenworks.ca)

Sells cultivated varieties of native species

### Maple Leaf Garden Centre

1343 Lynn Valley Rd, North Vancouver

604-985-1784

[www.mapleleafgarden.ca](http://www.mapleleafgarden.ca)

Limited native varieties available

### Shop in the Garden

6804 Southwest Marine Drive, Vancouver

UBC Botanical Garden

604-822-4529

[www.botanicalgarden.ubc.ca](http://www.botanicalgarden.ubc.ca)

Good selection of native species

Metro Vancouver



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Figaro's Garden  
1896 Victoria Dr, Vancouver  
604-253-1696  
[www.figarosgarden.ca](http://www.figarosgarden.ca)

Hunters Garden Centre  
2560 W Broadway, Vancouver  
604-733-1534  
[www.huntersgardencentre.com](http://www.huntersgardencentre.com)

Hunters Garden Centre & Flower Shop  
15175 72 Ave, Surrey  
604-590-2431  
[www.huntersgardencentre.com](http://www.huntersgardencentre.com)

Phoenix Perennials and Specialty Plants Ltd  
3380 No. 6 Road, Richmond, BC  
604-270-4133  
[www.phoenixperennials.com](http://www.phoenixperennials.com)

Prickly Pear Garden Centre  
12311 Number 1 Rd, Richmond  
604-241-4717  
[www.pricklypear.ca](http://www.pricklypear.ca)  
Limited varieties but has a section  
dedicated to Canadian native seeds

Tai Koon Yuen Nursery Ltd  
13480 Westminster Hwy, Richmond  
604-821-0131  
[www.tkygardens.com](http://www.tkygardens.com)  
Limited varieties of natives such as  
kinnikinnik and salal available

GardenWorks at Mandeville  
4746 Marine Dr, Burnaby  
604-434-4111  
[www.gardenworks.ca](http://www.gardenworks.ca)  
Sells cultivated varieties of native species

Southwest Garden Supplies  
4838 Byrne Rd, Burnaby  
604-454-9744  
[www.swgarden.ca](http://www.swgarden.ca)  
Limited native varieties available

Amsterdam Greenhouses & Garden Centre  
19100 Old Dewdney Trunk Rd, Pitt Meadows  
604-465-6614  
[www.amsterdamgreenhouses.com](http://www.amsterdamgreenhouses.com)  
Good selection of native species. Does related  
workshops.

Piroche Plants  
20542 McNeil Road, Pitt Meadows  
604-465-7101  
[www.pirocheplants.com](http://www.pirocheplants.com)  
Wholesale only

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Spirit Nursery  
20405 32 Ave, Langley  
604-533-7373  
[www.freespiritnursery.ca](http://www.freespiritnursery.ca)  
Mail order available, as well retail selection

NATS Nursery  
24555 32nd Ave, Langley  
604-530-9300  
[www.natsnursery.com](http://www.natsnursery.com)  
Wholesaler specializing in native plants -  
\$500 minimum purchase

Linnaea Nurseries  
3666 - 224th St, Langley  
604-533-8281  
[www.linnaeanurseries.com](http://www.linnaeanurseries.com)  
Wholesale

Hutchinson Nursery Sales  
24840 64 Ave, Langley  
604-626-4448  
[www.hutchinsonnursery.com](http://www.hutchinsonnursery.com)  
Wholesale

Cedar Rim Nursery  
7024 Glover Rd, Langley  
604-888-4491  
[www.cedarrim.com](http://www.cedarrim.com)  
Wholesale and retail - Good Selection of  
native species

Art Knapp Surrey  
4391 King George Blvd, Surrey  
604-596-9201  
[www.artknappsurrey.com](http://www.artknappsurrey.com)

Art Knapp  
1300 Dominion Ave, Port Coquitlam  
604-942-7518  
[www.artknapps.ca](http://www.artknapps.ca)







## VANCOUVER ISLAND (MID-ISLAND)

Living in the Powell River area means access, via the ferry, to Comox on Vancouver Island.

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### **Campbell River Garden Centre**

673 Old Petersen Road, Campbell River

250-287-7645

[www.crgardencentre.com](http://www.crgardencentre.com)

Stocks some native species and some cultivated species.

### **Green Thumb Garden Centre**

6261 Hammond Bay Road, Nanaimo

604-758-0944

[www.greenthumbgardencentre.com](http://www.greenthumbgardencentre.com)

Stocks some native species and some cultivated species.

### **NALT Natural Abundance Native Plant Nursery**

3145 Frost Road, Nanaimo

250-714-1990

[www.nalt.bc.ca](http://www.nalt.bc.ca)

Specializes specifically on native plants.

### **Paradise Plants**

2480 Hardy Road, Courtenay

250-897-3898

[www.paradiseplantsgardencentre.com/](http://www.paradiseplantsgardencentre.com/)

Stocks some native species, especially trees, and some cultivated species.

### **Streamside Native Plants**

7455 Island Highway West

250-757-9999 or 1-877-570-3138

[www.streamsidenativeplants.com](http://www.streamsidenativeplants.com)

email: [Richard@streamsidenativeplants.com](mailto:Richard@streamsidenativeplants.com)

Specializes specifically on native plants, wholesale & retail. Will ship, call ahead to visit the site.

Vancouver Island





# NATIVE PLANT SEED SUPPLIERS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

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VanDusen Botanical Garden Seed Collectors  
[www.vandusen.plantexplorers.com](http://www.vandusen.plantexplorers.com)

Nature's Garden Seed Company  
1-877-302-7333  
[www.naturesgardenseed.com](http://www.naturesgardenseed.com)

Quality Seed Collections  
P.O Box 1531, Kamloops  
250-374-9689  
[www.qualityseed.squarespace.com](http://www.qualityseed.squarespace.com)

Yellowpoint Propagation Ltd.  
13735 Quesnel Road, Ladysmith  
250-245-4635  
[www.yellowpointpropagation.com](http://www.yellowpointpropagation.com)

Saanich Native Plants  
Haliburton Community Organic Farm  
741 Haliburton Road, Victoria  
778-679-3459  
[www.saanichnativeplants.com](http://www.saanichnativeplants.com)

Fraser's Thimble Farm  
175 Arbutus Road, Salt Spring Island  
250-537-5788  
[www.thimblefarms.com](http://www.thimblefarms.com)



# WHERE TO VISIT NATIVE PLANT GARDENS

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A great way to be inspired when designing a native plant garden is to visit an existing native plant garden. Here is a list of public native plant gardens that you can view.



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## DEMONSTRATION GARDENS IN METRO VANCOUVER

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### **Langley Demonstration Garden**

21200 block of Fraser Highway, between Old Yale Rd and 216 St  
Managed by the Langley Environmental Partners Society (LEPS)

### **Native Plant Demonstration Garden in the Strathcona Community Garden**

759 Malkin Ave, Vancouver  
Managed by the Environmental Youth Alliance

### **Native Plant Demonstration Garden in Stanley Park**

Lost Lagoon at Stanley Park, Vancouver  
Located next to tennis courts adjacent to Chilco St and Lagoon Dr  
Managed in partnership between the Stanley Park Ecology Society, the West End Residents' Association and the Vancouver Park Board

### **White Rock Native Plant Demonstration Garden**

Located besides the White Rock Museum  
14970 Marine Drive, White Rock

# DEMONSTRATION GARDENS IN METRO VANCOUVER CONTINUED

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## **Darts Hill Garden**

170th St and 16th Ave, Surrey

Managed by City of Surrey and Darts Hill Garden Conservancy Trust Society

[www.dartshill.ca](http://www.dartshill.ca)

Check website for public open days

Has a native plant demonstration garden

## **Boundary Bay Earthwise Garden**

6400 3 Ave, Delta

604-946-9828

Managed by Earthwise Society

[www.earthwisesociety.bc.ca/garden/](http://www.earthwisesociety.bc.ca/garden/)

Open to visitors, please call

## **UBC Botanical Garden**

6804 SW Marine Dr, Vancouver

604-822-4208

Managed by University of British Columbia

[www.botanicalgarden.ubc.ca](http://www.botanicalgarden.ubc.ca)

Paid Entry

## **VanDusen Botanical Garden**

5251 Oak St, Vancouver

604-257-8335

[www.vandusengarden.org](http://www.vandusengarden.org)

Paid Entry





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# DEMONSTRATION GARDENS IN POWELL RIVER AND MID-VANCOUVER ISLAND

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## **Powell River**

Lang Creek Native Plant Garden  
10556 Sunshine Coast Highway, Powell River  
Self-guided, with signage.

Haywire Bay Outdoor Learning Centre  
End of Haywire Bay Road, Haywire Bay Regional Park, Powell River  
604-414-3966 (Hugh Prichard)  
[www.outdoorlearningcentre.ca](http://www.outdoorlearningcentre.ca)  
Part of School District 47. Visitors are welcome; please check in with office.

## **Mid-Island**

Campbell River Museum Native Plant Garden  
470 Island Highway, Campbell River  
250-287-3103  
[www.crmuseum.ca/native-plant-garden](http://www.crmuseum.ca/native-plant-garden)  
Self-guided with signage.

Kitty Coleman Woodland Gardens  
6183 Whitaker Road, Courtenay  
250-338-6901  
[www.woodlandgardens.ca](http://www.woodlandgardens.ca)  
Specializes in rhododendrons, but also native plants in a forest setting.

Milner Gardens & Woodland (Vancouver Island University)  
2179 West Island Highway, Qualicum Beach, BC  
250-752-6153  
[www.viu.ca/milnergardens](http://www.viu.ca/milnergardens)  
Both native species within forests, with signage, and formal ornamental (non-native) gardens. Paid admission.

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# DEMONSTRATION GARDENS ON SUNSHINE COAST

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## **Sunshine Coast Botanical Garden**

5941 Mason Road, Sechelt

604-740-3969

[www.coastbotanicalgarden.org](http://www.coastbotanicalgarden.org)

Native plant gardens representing coastal rainforest, Garry oak meadow, pond & wetland habitats. Plant ID labels and interpretative signage.

Entry by donation.

## **Heart Gardens**

1059 Roberts Creek Rd., Roberts Creek

[www.permacultureglobal.org/projects/145-heart-gardens](http://www.permacultureglobal.org/projects/145-heart-gardens)

A permaculture garden demonstrating regional ecology, native plants and ethnobotany.

Free entry.

## **Iris Griffith Centre**

15200 Sunshine Coast Hwy., Madeira Park

604-883-9201

[www.lagoonsociety.com/who-we-are/iris-griffith-centre/](http://www.lagoonsociety.com/who-we-are/iris-griffith-centre/)

Nature interpretative centre with displays of local ecology. Grounds include ponds, wetlands, and forest trails with signage.

Free entry.

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# More Gardening with Native Plants Info

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This report was created by the **South Coast Conservation Program (SCCP)**.

Visit the SCCP's website for additional resources about how to improve your property to help local wildlife, including species at risk.

Download or order a copy of the booklet:

## *Gardening with Native Plants in the Lower Mainland and Fraser Valley*

[www.sccp.ca](http://www.sccp.ca)

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