

Wildflowers of Virginia



Many species of plants are used in Virginia's Wildflower Program. Wildflowers and garden varieties, in both naturalized and formal settings, enhance the natural beauty of Virginia and return some of what might have been lost through development.



1. Black-Eyed Susan, *Rudbeckia hirta*
Annual/Perennial, Native to Virginia
Blooms June - August

2. New England Aster, *Aster novae-angliae*
Perennial, Native to Virginia
Blooms August - October

3. Tickseed-Sunflower, *Bidens aristosa*
Annual, Native to Virginia
Blooms August - October

4. Bee Balm, *Monarda fistulosa*
Perennial, Native to Virginia
Blooms June - September

5. New York Ironweed, *Vernonia noveboracensis*
Perennial, Native to Virginia
Blooms August - October

6. Butterfly Weed, *Asclepias tuberosa*
Perennial, Native to Virginia
Blooms June - September

7. Lance-Leaved Coreopsis, *Coreopsis lanceolata*
Perennial, Native to Virginia
Blooms May - July

8. Purple Coneflower, *Echinacea purpurea*
Perennial, Native to North America
Blooms June - October

9. California Poppy, *Eschscholia californica*
Annual/Perennial, Native to southwestern U.S.
Blooms April - August

10. Indian Blanket, *Gaillardia pulchella*
Annual, Native to central U.S.
Blooms May - September

11. Plains Coreopsis, *Coreopsis tinctoria*
Annual, Native to southern U.S.
Blooms May - August

12. Sulphur Cosmos, *Cosmos sulphureus*
Annual, Native to Mexico
Blooms May - October

13. Mixed Cosmos, *Cosmos bipinnatus*
Annual, Native to Mexico
Blooms May - October

14. Corn Poppy, *Papaver rhoeas*
Annual, Native to Europe
Blooms April - June