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## NATIVE PLANTS FOR ROCK GARDENS

### PERENNIALS

<i>Allium cernuum</i>	Nodding Onion
<i>Amsonia 'Blue Ice'</i>	'Blue Ice' Bluestar
<i>Anaphalis margaritacea*</i>	Pearly Everlasting
<i>Antennaria neglecta</i>	Field Pussytoes
<i>Antennaria plantaginifolia</i>	Plantain-leaved Pussytoes
<i>Antennaria virginica*</i>	Shale-barren Pussytoes
<i>Aquilegia canadensis</i>	Eastern Red Columbine
<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	Butterfly Milkweed
<i>Aster ericoides 'Snow Flurry'</i>	'Snow Flurry' Aster
<i>Callirhoe involucrate</i>	Winecups/Poppy Mallow
<i>Campanula rotundifolia</i>	Bluebell Bellflower
<i>Claytonia virginica*</i>	Spring Beauty
<i>Coreopsis verticillata</i>	Whorled Tickseed
<i>Draba ramosissima*</i>	Whorled Rock-twist
<i>Dicentra exima</i>	Wild Bleeding Heart
<i>Echinacea tennesseensis</i>	Tennessee Coneflower
<i>Eriogonum allenii</i>	Shale Barren Buckwheat
<i>Eryngium yuccifolium</i>	Rattlesnake Master
<i>Heuchera villosa</i>	Hairy Alumroot
<i>Heuchera americana</i>	American Alumroot
<i>Houstonia caerulea*</i>	Bluets/Quaker Ladies
<i>Hypoxis hirsute*</i>	Yellow Star Grass
<i>Iris cristata</i>	Dwarf Crested Iris
<i>Liatris microcephala</i>	Dwarf Blazing Star
<i>Liatris squarrosa</i>	Scaly Blazing Star
<i>Micranthes virginiana*</i>	Early Saxifrage
<i>Monarda bradburiana</i>	Bradbury's Beebalm
<i>Oenothera 'Cold Crick'*</i>	'Cold Crick' Sundrops
<i>Phlox subulata</i>	Moss Phlox
<i>Phlox stolonifera</i>	Creeping Phlox
<i>Scutellaria ovata*</i>	Heart-leaved Skullcap
<i>Silene caroliniana</i>	Wild Pink
<i>Silene virginica*</i>	Fire Pink
<i>Sisyrinchium angustifolium 'Lucerne'</i>	'Lucerne' Blue-eyed Grass
<i>Viola pedata*</i>	Bird's Foot Violet
<i>Waldsteinia fragarioides</i>	Barren Strawberry
<i>Zizia aptera*</i>	Heart-leaved Golden Alexander

## SUCCULENTS

<i>Hylotelephium telephoides</i>	Wild Live-forever
<i>Manfreda virginica*</i>	False Aloe/American Agave
<i>Opuntia humifosa</i>	Eastern Prickly-pear Cactus
<i>Sedum ternatum</i>	Woodland Stonecrop
<i>Sedum glaucophyllum*</i>	Cliff Stonecrop
<i>Talinum teretifolium</i>	American Fameflower

## GRASSES, SEDGES, AND FERNS

<i>Asplenium platyneuron*</i>	Ebony Spleenwort
<i>Carex platyphylla</i>	Silver Sedge
<i>Phegopteris hexagonoptera*</i>	Broad Beech Fern
<i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i>	Prairie Dropseed

## WOODY PLANTS

<i>Archostaphylos uva-ursi*</i>	Bearberry
<i>Ceanothus americanus</i>	New Jersey Tea
<i>Juniperus horizontalis</i>	Creeping Juniper
<i>Kalmia angustifolia*</i>	Sheep Laurel
<i>Paxistima canbyi</i>	Rat-stripper
<i>Sibbaldiopsis tridentata*</i>	Shrubby Five-Fingers
<i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i>	Lowbush Blueberry

\* indicates a species we either often do not have available or is difficult to cultivate for commerce

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Rock gardening is a specialized form of gardening using low, mounding, and miniature plants in soils that are rocky, gravelly, sandy, and well-draining. These plants are often succulents or alpine species. Rock gardens are often terraced or even somewhat vertical and full of crevices (such as old stone foundations, retaining walls, or banks). These rocky, semi-vertical to steep locations usually have excellent drainage, which is required by nearly all rock garden acceptable species.

Though the plants on this list are suitable for rock gardens, these selected species will not all thrive in the same rock garden. Each species differs in their requirements for light, moisture, and soil pH. It is important to use our signs for general information when selecting species, and we would recommend doing further research or inquiring with our staff for information on some of the more difficult plant species.

Since these plants are native species to our region, they are all hardy to our cold winters and humid summers in eastern Pennsylvania. Shoppers visiting from other areas should make sure that these plants will survive in their growing zones.