

COMMON NAME SCIENTIFIC NAME	OREGON NATIVE	HEIGHT	SPREAD	LIGHT	EVERGREEN/DECIDUOUS	SEASONAL INTEREST	COLOR/FEATURE	WATER	MAINTENANCE	WILDLIFE	COMMENTS
Pincushion Flower <i>Scabiosa</i>	N	1'-2'	1'-2'	sun	D	long bloom period during summer	white, pink or light blue flowers	L	cut off old flower stalks and dead foliage before spring growth begins	Y	excellent cut flowers, remove spent flowers to encourage abundant re-bloom
Oregon Stonecrop <i>Sedum oregonum</i>	Y	less than 6"	1/2-1'	sun	E	mat-forming plant	leaves turn bronze-purple in fall	M	shear off spent flowers	N	must have a well-drained site
Sedum <i>Sedum spathulifolium</i>	Y	6"	1' +	sun	E	forms large patches	short stems with clusters of yellow flowers	L	little maintenance needed for this plant	N	grows well in rocky areas and slopes with well drained soil
Brilliant Stonecrop <i>Hylotelephium spectabile</i>	N	1-1 1/2'	1-2'	sun	E	gray-green leaves with flower stems reaching upward	light-purple fall color	L	cut to ground level prior to new spring growth	N	flower stalks and seed heads provide fall and winter interest, remove flower stalks prior to spring growth
Goldenrod <i>Solidago</i> spp.	Y	1-3'	1-2'	sun	D	late summer bloom	bright yellow flowers	L	little maintenance is needed, few pests attack this plant	N	good for cut flowers
Ground Covers											
Kinnikinnick <i>Aretostaphylos uva-ursi</i>	Y	6-12"	1-3'	sun or part shade	E	shiny leaves, winter fruit	deep green leaves, orange-red fruit	M	tip-prune plants when young to encourage density, remove damaged stems	Y	fruit provides winter food for birds, site must have year-round drainage, other varieties are available
Beach Strawberry <i>Fragaria chiloensis</i>	Y	6-12"	1-2'	sun	D	small scale groundcover	white flowers in spring	L	trim off during late winter to encourage spring growth	Y	glossy dark green leaves have tooth-edged leaflets, produce a few seedy fruits
Carpet Broom <i>Genista pilosa</i>	N	1-1 1/2'	4-7'	sun	D	green stems with tiny leaves, dense ground-cover	bright yellow flowers	L	remove damaged stems, little maintenance needed	N	this low-growing plant is covered with bright yellow flowers in early spring, fairly fast growing
St. Johnswort <i>Hypericum calycinum</i>	N	1-1 1/2'	1'-2'	sun	E	showy summer flowers, blue-green foliage	yellow flowers	L	trim back or mow to ground level every 2-3 years or after severe winter cold	N	may be used as a ground-cover that is tolerant of heat, dense ground-cover, some plant parts are toxic



Shore Juniper



Creeping Juniper



Japanese Garden Juniper



Lithodora



Siberian Carpet



Oregano



Oxalis



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Shore Juniper <i>Juniperus conferta</i> 'Blue Pacific'	N	1'	3'	sun	E	blue-green color on the 1/2" long needles	blue-green needles	L	remove damaged branches	Y	a dense, low groundcover, whose density is encouraged by tip pruning when the plant is young
Creeping Juniper <i>Juniperus horizontalis</i>	N	1'	2-4'	sun	E	low spreading plant	grey-green needle-like leaves	L	tip-prune plants when young to encourage density, remove damaged stems	N	many cultivated varieties are available - most have even more blue foliage
Japanese Garden Juniper <i>Juniperus procumbens</i>	N	1'	2-3'	sun	E	fine texture due to 1/4" needles	medium green needles	L	tip prune plants when young to encourage density, remove damaged stems	N	very fine texture on this small needled Juniper, slow growing plant
Lithodora <i>Lithodora diffusa</i>	N	6-12"	2'	sun	E	fine texture due to 1/4" leaves	bright blue flowers and dark green foliage	L	tip prune when young to develop a dense plant	N	an attractive color combination - rich blue flowers and deep green leaves
Siberian Carpet Cypress <i>Microbiota decussata</i>	N	1'	4-6'	sun	E	feathery texture of scale-like foliage sprays	medium green with orange to gray winter color	L	tip prune plants when young to encourage density, remove damaged stems	N	the winter color adds interest to the winter landscape, very disease resistant
Oregano <i>Origanum vulgare</i>	N	1-2'	1-2'	sun	E	low spreading small-leaved herb	tiny white or purplish pink flowers	L	tip prune after flowering to encourage regrowth of foliage	N	new foliage may be used either fresh or dried in cooking
Oxalis <i>Oxalis oregana</i>	Y	6"	1-2'	part shade to shade	D	ground-cover for shade	heart-shaped leaflets	L	dig and divide clumps if you wish to spread this plant through the garden	Y	these clover-like plants add whimsy to the garden
Star Jasmin <i>Trachelospermum jasminoides</i>	N	1-2'	5-10'	sun to part shade	D	fragrant flowers, glossy dark green leaves	white flowers	M	tip prune to encourage density	N	attractive to bees, can grow upright as a vine if trellised
Thyme <i>Thymus</i> spp.	N	3-6"	6"-1'	sun	E	fragrant leaves, low spreading herb	a great variety of foliage and flower variation	L	tip-prune plants to encourage density	N	many cultivated varieties - some with variegated leaves and some with burgandy flowers, new foliage may be used either fresh or dried in cooking