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Plant Name	Height & Spread	Evergreen or Deciduous	Description	Photo
Creeping Phlox <i>Phlox subulata</i>	2-3 inches tall 3-4 feet spread	Evergreen <i>Hardy to minus 20 degrees</i>	Showy spring flowers, usually around March and/or April <i>Flowers purple, pink, or pink-red</i>	
Spreading Germander <i>Teucrium majoricum</i>	3-4 inches tall 3-4 feet spread	Evergreen <i>Hardy to 15 degrees</i>	Long-blooming, early summer until a frost <i>Purple-pink blooms</i>	
Wallflower <i>Erysimum</i>	1-2 foot tall 1-3 feet spread	Evergreen <i>Hardy to 0 degrees</i>	Showy blooms above foliage in spring. Very vibrant. Flowers may need to be cut back after bloom to keep plant tidy. <i>Flowers orange or purple</i>	

Wandflower (Gaura) <i>Gaura lindheimeri</i>	1-3 foot tall 1-2 feet spread	Deciduous (melts to ground for winter) Hardy to minus 15 degrees	Long-blooming, flowers above foliage starting in early summer <i>Flowers pink, pink with white, or white</i>	
Blanket Flower <i>Gaillardia</i>	1-3 feet tall 1-3 feet spread	Deciduous Hardy to minus 15 degrees	Long-blooming, early summer through fall <i>Flowers orange and yellow</i>	
Hemerocallis <i>Daylily</i>	1-3 feet tall 1-3 feet spread	Evergreen Hardy to minus 15 degrees	Blooms new flowers each day from early summer until a frost. Grass-like foliage. <i>Flowers yellow, purple, red, orange, or pink.</i>	
Coneflower <i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	2-3 feet tall 1-2 feet spread	Deciduous (melts to ground for winter) Hardy to 15 degrees	Long-blooming, starting in early summer <i>Flowers purple, white, pink, red, or a mix ('Cheyenne Spirit' variety blooms multiple colors)</i>	




Autumn Sage <i>Salvia greggii</i>	2-3 feet tall 2-3 feet spread	Semi-evergreen Hardy to 15 degrees	Long-blooming, early summer until a frost <i>Flowers pink, red, white, purple, or yellow</i>	
Lavender <i>Lavandula</i>	2-3 feet tall 2-3 feet spread	Evergreen Hardy to minus 15 degrees	Long-blooming, early summer until a frost <i>Flowers purple</i> *Spanish Lavender blooms in spring and has a ball-shaped flower	
Yarrow <i>Achillea</i>	2-4 feet tall 1-3 feet spread	Semi-evergreen Hardy to minus 20 degrees	Long-blooming flat flowers, starting in early summer. Fern-like foliage. <i>Flowers yellow, red, pink, purple, or white.</i> California native varieties available – pink or white blooms only.	



Gopher Spurge <i>Euphorbia</i>	2-4 feet tall 2-4 feet spread	Evergreen Hardy to minus 10 degrees	Colorful foliage, yellow spring flowers. Irritable milky substance within plant repels gophers and deer.	
Black Eyed Susan <i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	2-4 feet tall 1-3 feet spread (and spreads by seed)	Deciduous (melts to ground for winter) Hardy to minus 20 degrees	Long-blooming, early summer until a frost <i>Flowers yellow with brown center or with shades of orange</i>	

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Wooly Sunflower <i>Eriophyllum lanatum</i> 'Siskiyou'	10-12 inches tall 2-3 feet wide	Evergreen Hardy to minus 15 degrees	Lush, grey-green wooly foliage forms low mat. Cheery golden-yellow daisy flowers beginning in spring. Long-blooming. Drought-tolerant once established.	
Coyote Mint <i>Monardella odorissima</i>	12-18 inches tall 2-3 feet wide	Evergreen Hardy to 0 degrees	Member of mint family. Mounding plant with grey-green aromatic leaves. Tight heads of white to purple flowers in summer. Drought-tolerant once established.	
California Fuschia <i>Zauschneria (Epilobium)</i>	1-2 feet tall 2-4 feet spread	Evergreen Hardy to 10 degrees	May be low growing or upright. Showy orange trumpet flowers in summer and fall. Loved by hummingbirds. Drought-tolerant once established.	

Douglas Iris <i>Iris douglasiana</i>	18-24 inches tall 2-4 feet wide	Evergreen Hardy to 5 degrees	Clumps of sword-shaped, arching green blades. Flowers in spring. Usually flowers blue-purple but can range from pale cream to yellow to reddish-purple. Low water needs once established.	
California Aster <i>Aster chilensis</i> <i>'Purple Haze'</i>	2-3 feet tall 2-3 feet wide <i>Spreads vigorously by rhizomes in wet areas</i>	Deciduous Hardy to 10 degrees	Attractive foliage consists of narrowly oval green leaves. Lavender-purple daisy flowers in summer. Long-blooming. Drought-tolerant once established.	
Pozo Blue Sage <i>Salvia x 'Pozo Blue'</i>	3-4 feet tall 3-4 feet wide	Evergreen Hardy to 15 degrees	Grey-green fragrant foliage. Tall, showy spikes of violet-blue flowers in summer. Loved by hummingbirds. Drought-tolerant once established.	