

## SHADE GARDENING - LINKS AND RESOURCES

**NC Extension Gardener Plant Toolbox** - interactive database with detailed descriptions and photographs  
<https://plants.ces.ncsu.edu/>

**NC Extension Gardener Handbook:** research based information on successful gardening in North Carolina  
- **chapter 11**, Woody Ornamentals - Site Characteristics

<https://content.ces.ncsu.edu/extension-gardener-handbook/11-woody-ornamentals#sitecharacteristics>

- **chapter 10**, Herbaceous Ornamentals - Garden Design and Site Selection

[https://content.ces.ncsu.edu/extension-gardener-handbook/10-herbaceous-ornamentals#section\\_heading\\_9168](https://content.ces.ncsu.edu/extension-gardener-handbook/10-herbaceous-ornamentals#section_heading_9168)

**Soil Testing - Resources and Links** (from NCDA&CS and NC State Extension)

<https://guilford.ces.ncsu.edu/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/Soil-Testing-Links-2021.pdf? fwd=no>

**Municipal Compost information - Guilford county locations**

<https://guilford.ces.ncsu.edu/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/Municipal-Compost.pdf? fwd=no>

**North Carolina OneCall** - dial 811, or visit their website: [www.nc811.org](http://www.nc811.org)

**Plants for Shade:** Clemson Cooperative Extension

<http://www.clemson.edu/extension/hgic/plants/other/landscaping/hgic1716.html>

**Perennials for Shade:** University of Illinois Extension

[https://web.extension.illinois.edu/beyond/directory\\_shade.cfm](https://web.extension.illinois.edu/beyond/directory_shade.cfm)

**NC Invasive Plant Council** - list of invasive plants found in the NC Piedmont

<http://nc-ipc.weebly.com/piedmont-invasive-plants.html>

**Minimizing Deer Damage in NC Landscapes:** NC State Extension

<https://gardening.ces.ncsu.edu/minimizing-deer-damage-in-nc-landscapes/>

**Planting, Watering, and Fertilizing:** Clemson Cooperative Extension

Planting Trees Correctly - <https://hgic.clemson.edu/factsheet/planting-trees-correctly/>

Watering Trees and Shrubs - <https://hgic.clemson.edu/factsheet/watering-shrubs-and-trees/>

Fertilizing Trees and Shrubs - <https://hgic.clemson.edu/factsheet/fertilizing-trees-shrubs/>

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