

## Rabbit Resistant

The following plants tend to have little or seldom damage from rabbits in the garden. Remember that no plant is impervious to rabbits, but those that are thorny, spiny, secrete a milky sap, or are heavily aromatic have good rabbit resistance. Tender, immature, developing growth on these plants may require protection, especially in the spring, using repellents such as Plantskydd, Liquid Fence, Hot Pepper Wax Spray, Repels-All, or even a physical barrier like burlap, fencing (using chicken wire is sufficient) or aluminum foil. As the plants mature they will become more rabbit proof.

### Annuals

Ageratum  
Asparagus (fern & vegetable)  
Begonia (Wax varieties)  
Browallia (Bush Violet)  
Catharanthus (Flowering Vinca)  
Cleome  
Cucurbita (Summer Squash)  
Dahlia  
Helichrysum (Strawflower/  
Licorice Vine)  
Ipomoea (Morning Glory)  
Lantana  
Lycopersicum (Tomato)  
Marjorana (Marjoram)  
Nicotiana  
Ocimum (Basil)  
Ornamental Grasses/Phormium  
Petroselinum (Parsley)  
Rosmarinus (Rosemary)  
Salvia farinacea (Blue Salvia)  
Senecio (Dusty Miller)  
Solanum (Potatoes)  
Verbena

### Perennials & Hardy Bulbs

Acanthus (Bear's Breeches)  
Achillea (Yarrow)  
Aconitum (Monkshood)  
Ajuga  
Alchemilla (Lady's Mantle)  
Allium (Onions, Chives, etc.)  
Anemone  
Aquilegia (Columbine)  
Artemisia (any)  
Aruncus (Goat's Beard)  
Asclepias (Butterfly Weed)  
Aster

### Perennials & Hardy Bulbs cont.

Astilbe  
Athyrium (Painted Fern)  
Bergenia  
Brunnera  
Colchicum (Autumn Crocus)  
Convallaria (Lily of the Valley)  
Corydalis  
Crocsmia  
Cyrtomium (Holly Fern)  
Delphinium  
Dicentra (Bleeding Heart)  
Digitalis (Foxglove)  
Doronicum (Leopard's Bane)  
Echinops  
Epimedium  
Eryngium (Sea Holly)  
Eupatorium (Joe Pye Weed)  
Euphorbia  
Filipendula (Queen of the Prairie)  
Fritillaria (Crown Imperial)  
Galanthus (Snowdrop)  
Galium (Sweet Woodruff)  
Geranium  
Geum  
Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)  
Helenium (Helen's Flower)  
Helianthus (Perennial Sunflower)  
Helleborus (Lenten Rose)  
Hemerocallis (Daylily)  
Heuchera (Coral Bells)  
Hyacinth  
Iberis (Candytuft)  
Iris  
Kniphofia (Red-Hot Poker)  
Lamium/Lamiastrum  
Lavandula (Lavender)

### Perennials & Hardy Bulbs cont.

Leucojum (Spring Snowflake)  
Linum (Flax)  
Liriope (Lilyturf)  
Lupinus (Lupine)  
Lysmachia  
Matteuccia (Ostrich Fern)  
Mentha (Mint)  
Monarda (BeeBalm)  
Myosotis (Forget Me Not)  
Narcissus (Daffodil)  
Nepeta (Catmint)  
Origanum (Oregano)  
Ornamental Grasses  
Osmunda (Cinnamon Fern)  
Paeonia (Peony)  
Papaver (Poppy)  
Penstemon  
Perovskia (Russian Sage)  
Polygonatum/Persicaria  
Pulmonaria (Lungwort)  
Rheum (Rhubarb)  
Salvia (Meadow Sage)  
Santolina (Lavender-Cotton)  
Saxifraga  
Sedum (Upright types)  
Stachys (Lamb's Ear)  
Sisyrinchium (Blue-eyed Grass)  
Tanacetum (Tansy)  
Tiarella (Foamflower)  
Tradescantia (Spiderwort)  
Trollius  
Verbascum (Mullein)  
Veronica (Speedwell)  
Vinca (Myrtle)

### Trees\* & Shrubs

Azalea  
Berberis (Barberry)  
Betula (Birch)  
Buddleia (Butterfly Bush)  
Buxus (Boxwood)  
Calluna (Heather)  
Clethra  
Cornus (Dogwood)  
Cotoneaster  
Cratageus (Hawthorn)  
Daphne  
Deutzia  
Erica (Heath)  
Fagus (Beech)  
Gleditsia (Honey Locust)  
Hydrangea  
Hypericum (St. John's Wort)  
Ilex (Holly, any type)  
Juniper  
Kalmia (Mt. Laurel)  
Kolkwitzia (Beautybush)  
Laburnum (Goldenchain Tree)  
Ligustrum (Privet)  
Lonicera (Honeysuckle)  
Magnolia (Saucer, Star)  
Microbiota (Siberian Cypress)  
Myrica (Bayberry)  
Philadelphus (Mockorange)  
Picea (Spruce)  
Pinus (Pine)  
Potentilla  
Rhododendron  
Rhus (Sumac)  
Ribes (Currants)  
Rosa (Rose, thorny varieties)  
Spiraea  
Syringa (Lilac)  
Viburnum