

Green is good for you

Green is good for you for so many reasons. Here we try and outline why based on external evidence.



Gleditsia triacanthos var. inermis 'Shademaster'

GREEN HONEY LOCUST

This large deciduous tree grows with a pendulous habit. The dark green bipinnate leaves turn yellow in autumn. Growing to 12m tall it is a popular selection for streetscapes and parks. Great as a feature tree in a larger garden. It's green, provides great shade in summer, colour in autumn and bare limbs interest in winter - everything that is great in trees!



Robinia pseudoacacia 'Frisia'

GOLDEN ROBINIA

This attractive deciduous tree provides soft filtered shade with its open habitat and pinnate leaf shape. It is a moderate grower with striking lime green foliage. Long white flowers are produced in early summer. A contrast to green shade of Gleditsia 'Shademaster', Frisia offers a golden colour contrast that intensifies in autumn.



Acer rubrum 'Autumn Red'

CANADIAN MAPLE

This is a beautiful rounded tree for Autumn colour selection, although leaves stay green longer than other varieties before turning bright orange to deep red and falling. All parts of the tree, for example flowers, twigs and seeds, are red in varying shades. It is a beautiful tree for shade in summer, autumn colour and bare-limbed winter interest.



Fraxinus pennsylvanica 'Cimmzam' **CIMMARON ASH**

A striking feature tree to 13m tall providing great summer shade. It has attractive dark green foliage, lighter on the underside that changes to yellow, then burgundy and fiery reds in autumn. Another selection where leaves hold on the tree longer in winter than normal for this species. Suitable for a range of residential and commercial applications.

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