

Friends of Manchester Trees

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Native Conifers/Evergreens						
<i>Juniperus virginiana</i>	Eastern Red Cedar	Yes	Yes	30-35' H x 8-25'W		<p>The best drought resistance of any conifer native to the eastern U.S. Berries are an important food source for many birds and large and small mammals. Provide protective cover for nesting, roosting, and winter shelter. Excellent as a specimen planting and useful in masses for windbreaks and screening.</p> <p>https://www.mass.gov/info-details/coastal-landscaping-in-massachusetts-trees#eastern-red-cedar-</p>
<i>Chamaecyparis thyoides</i>	Atlantic White Cedar	Yes	Moderate	30-50' H x 30-40'		<p>Short, horizontal branches and blue-green, scale-like leaves that spread out in a fan-like appearance. At maturity, the branches are only present in the upper portion of the tree. Not tolerant of shade, needs to be protected from high winds.</p> <p>https://www.mass.gov/info-details/coastal-landscaping-in-massachusetts-trees#atlantic-white-cedar-</p>
<i>Pinus strobus</i>	Eastern White Pine	Yes	Somewhat	50 - 80' H x 20-40' W pyramidal in its early years, it matures to a broad oval habit with an irregular crown		<p>Rapid-growing and long-lived. Bluish green needles are soft to the touch and appear in bundles of five. An excellent specimen tree for lawns or parks. May be planted as a hedge and sheared regularly to control growth.</p> <p>https://extension.umaine.edu/signs-of-the-seasons/indicator-species/pine-fact-sheet/</p>
<i>Pinus rigida</i>	Pitch Pine	Yes	Yes	40-70' H x 15-25' Irregular globular form		<p>Grows in dry, rocky, or sandy soils. Often used for reforestation or stabilization where few other trees will grow. Twisting, gnarled, drooping branches; and scaly, reddish-brown bark which eventually becomes black. Yellow-green needles, in clusters of three, eventually turn dark-green.</p> <p>https://www.mass.gov/info-details/coastal-landscaping-in-massachusetts-trees#pitch-pine-</p>