

PRICKLY PEAR PLACE SHOWCASES A DROUGHT TOLERANT LANDSCAPE FOR A HOUSE WITH A CLASSIC LOOK.





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PLANTING PLAN

The classic American home landscape features foundational plantings placed in straight lines along the front of the home and along fences. A progression of smaller plants in the front and larger plants in the back is arranged to create a layered hedge in front of the home and fence lines. Plants are spaced and trimmed tightly in landscape beds and there is often a strong sense of balance leading to the entryway. Curved beds, pathways and plantings are typically found further away from structures. The dominant features of the classic home landscape include a spacious lawn and large shade trees.

At the Prickly Pear Place a classic look is maintained while incorporating xeric plants and practices.

Dwarf Yaupon, Cenizo, and Dwarf Wax Myrtle are used to create hedges along the front porch and side fences. Sweeps of perennial plants such as Skullcap, Mistflower and Echinacea create the landscape and provide seasonal color.

Groundcovers such as Frogfruit and Sedge are showcased as potential lawn alternatives.

Green infrastructure features include rain chains and a green roof.

PLANT TYPE	COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	HEIGHT (FT)	WIDTH (FT)
A	Texas Redbud	Cercis canadensis var. texensis	15 to 20	15 to 20
A	Possumhaw	llex decidua	12 to 20	12
A	Yaupon	llex vomitoria	15 to 25	15 to 25
В	Dwarf Wax Myrtle	Myrica pusilla	4 to 6	10
В	Dwarf Yaupon	llex vomitoria 'Nana'	3 to 4	5
В	Lindheimer's Muhly	Muhlenbergia lindheimeri	4 to 5	4 to 5
В	Cenizo	Leucophyllum frutescens	4 to 6	4 to 6
С	Powis Castle Artemisia	Artemisia x 'Powis Castle'	2 to 3	3 to 6
С	Fall Obedient Plant	Physostegia virginiana	2 to 3	2
С	Purple Coneflower	Echinacea purpurea	2 to 4	1 to 3
D	Pink Skullcap	Scuttellaria suffrutescens	1	1.5
D	Missouri Primrose	Oenothera macrocarpa	1	2
D	Gregg's Mistflower	Conoclinium greggii	2	2 to 3
E	Frog Fruit	Phyla nodiflora	0.5 to 1	3
E	Grassland Sedge	Carex divulsa	1 to 2	2
E	Snakeherb	Dyschoriste linearis	0.5 to 1.5	1 to 2

A Ornamental tree

(pick 1)

B Large perennial

for background hedge (pick 1 and plant a row)

C Medium size perennial

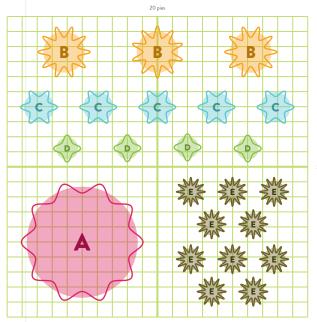
for mid-level color (pick 1 or 2 and plant in groups of 3)

D Small perennial

(pick 1 or 2 and plant in groups of 3)

E Ground cover

(pick 1 and mass plant)



20 pies