

Pollinator-friendly plants for Orkney gardens

<p>Spring.</p>	<p>Trees and shrubs. Willows, especially Tea-leaved and Grey. Sycamore. Hawthorn. Apple. Plum. Flowering currant. Gooseberry. Blackcurrant. Red currant.</p>	<p>Herbaceous plants. Hellebore. Primrose. Garden primulas. Comfrey. Aubretia. Honesty. Bugle. Lungwort. Wallflower. Chives. Perennial cornflower (long flowering season).</p>	<p>Bulbs. Crocus. Daffodil. Grape hyacinth. English bluebell.</p>
<p>Early summer.</p>	<p>Trees and shrubs. Laburnum. Berberis. Hebe. Cotoneaster. Fuchsia. Broom. Skimmia.</p>	<p>Herbaceous plants. Ericas (heaths rather than heather). Geraniums. Poached egg plant. Jacob's ladder. Bellflower. Globe thistle. Forget-me-not. Bistort. Euphorbia. Tansy. Borage. Foxglove. Columbine. Sweet William.</p>	<p>Bulbs. Allium.</p>
<p>Mid-summer.</p>	<p>Trees and shrubs. Spirea. Weigela. Buddleias. Potentillas. Rose (single flowered). Raspberry. Escallonia. New Zealand honeysuckle.</p>	<p>Herbaceous plants. Verbascum. Astrantia. St. John's wort. Fuchsias. Achillea (Yarrows). Golden rod. Sea holly. Hollyhock. Delphinium. Echinacea. Marigolds.</p>	<p>Herbaceous plants. Lavender. Lavandula. Lavatera. Shasta daisy. Purple toadflax. Nicotiana. Nigella. Lamb's ear. Candytuft. California poppy. Love-in-a-mist.</p>

		Herbaceous plants. Heathers. Lupin. Nasturtium. Campanula. Knapweed. Snapdragon. White lace flower. Fleabane.	Herbaceous plants. Godetia. Zinnia. Catmints. Thyme. Sage. Rosemary. Broad beans Peas. Courgette.
Late summer.	Trees and shrubs. Olearia (Daisy bush). Honeysuckle. Ivy.	Herbaceous plants. Cosmos. Scabious. Sedum. Monkshood. Dahlia (single flowered). Hyssop. Bugloss.	Herbaceous plants. Japanese anemone. Michaelmas daisy. Verbena. Ice plant. Marjoram.