

## Florida Native Plant Society - Naples Chapter

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## Learn More About Florida Native Plants – Suggested Resources

One goal of the Naples Chapter is to provide information about Florida native plants for our local community. We have provided three categories of resources (native plant nurseries, books, and websites) below. The list of native plant nurseries is limited to those in the south Florida area. The listed books and websites come highly recommended by native plant professionals and enthusiasts.

Native Plant Retail Nurseries			
Location	Phone Number	Website	
All Native Garden Center, Nursery, & Landscapes 300 Center Road, Fort Myers	(239) 939-9663	www.allnative.biz	
Elata Natives, LLC 5170 Buckingham Road, Fort Myers	(239) 694-8500	www.elatanatives.com	
<b>Green Door Nursery</b> 3700 Bayshore Drive, Naples	(239) 403-4736	www.greendoornursery.com	
<b>Green Seasons Nursery</b> (Wholesale) P.O. Box 539, Parrish	(941) 776-1605	www.greenseasonsnursery.com	
<b>Riverland Nursery</b> 13005 Palm Beach Blvd, Fort Myers	(239) 693-5555	www.riverlandnursery.com	
Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation 3333 Sanibel-Captiva Road, Sanibel	(239) 472-1932	www.sccf.org	
Silent Native Nursery 16265 SW 210th Terrace, Redland	(305) 255-8262	www.seashoreseeds.com	
Sweet Bay Nursery 10824 Erie Road, Parrish	(941) 776-0501	www.sweetbaynursery.com	

Books			
Title	Author(s)		
Atlas of Florida's Natural Heritage	Florida Natural Areas Inventory		
The Biology of Trees Native to Tropical Florida	P.B. Tomlinson		
Bringing Nature Home	Douglas W. Tallamy		
Ecosystems of Florida	Ronald L. Myers, John J. Ewel		
Everglades Wildflowers	Roger L. Hammer		
The Ferns of Florida: A Reference and Field Guide	Gil Nelson		
Florida Butterfly Caterpillars and Their Host Plants	Marc C. Minno, et al.		
Florida Ethnobotany	Daniel F. Austin		
Florida Wetland Plants: An Identification Manual	John D. Tobe, et al.		
Florida Wildflowers: A Comprehensive Guide	Walter Kingsley Taylor		
Florida Wildflowers in Their Natural Communities	Walter Kingsley Taylor		
A Guide to Native Wildflowers of Southwest Florida	Gary W. Schmelz, Glen Stacell		
Guide to the Vascular Plants of Florida	Richard P. Wunderlin, Bruce F. Hansen		
Native Florida Plants	Robert G. Haehle, Joan Brookwell		
Native Plant Landscaping for Florida Wildlife	Craig N. Huegel		
Native Wildflowers & Other Ground Covers for Florida Landscapes	Craig N. Huegel		
Wild Orchids of Florida	Paul Martin Brown		



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Websites			
Website	Address	Description	
Atlas of Florida Vascular Plants	www.florida.plantatlas.usf.edu	Searchable database of Florida's vascular plants that displays photos, range map, and location of vouchered specimens	
Collier County UF/IFAS Extension Office	collier.ifas.ufl.edu	Home base for the Master Gardener Program, plant disease diagnostics, and an extensive library of free horticulture articles	
Florida Friendly Landscaping	www.floridayards.org	Learn how to landscape sustainably at home with Landscaping 101 and Interactive Yard tools	
Florida Native Plant Society	www.fnps.org	Home base for FNPS members, with schedule of state-wide events and details about education, research, and landscaping programs	
Florida Natural Areas Inventory	www.fnai.org	Includes interactive map of conservation lands and descriptions of natural communities	
Florida Wildflower Foundation	www.flawildflowers.org	Download guides about growing wildflowers and learn how to participate in community programs	
Florida Wildflowers Growers Cooperative	www.floridawildflowers.com	Best location for ordering native wildflower seeds from Florida stock	
National Wildlife Federation	www.nwf.org	Click "How to Help" for information about creating Certified Wildlife Habitat at home	
Institute for Regional Conservation	www.regionalconservation.org	Natives for Your Neighborhood database produces native plant, animal, and habitat lists by zip code	
Plant Real Florida	www.plantrealflorida.org	Create plant lists by hardiness zone, community type, plant type, or wildlife usage, plus view the popular <i>Guide for Real Florida Gardeners</i> magazine	

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