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Northern Maidenhair Fern	Adiantum pedatum				Yes	Deer Resistant		
Northern Maidenhair Fern	Adiantum pedatum	4	12-24"	24-30"	Yes	NS Native species. Wiry, fine, black stems with airy, lacy, "frilly", green fronds that are palmately divided. Deciduous, clump-forming habit. Moist, humusy, acidic soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (8) 21.95 (30 L)
Hart's Tongue Fern	Asplenium / syn. Phyllitis					Deer Resistant - Native to Europe - Site protected from NW winter winds		
Hart's Tongue Fern	Asplenium scolopendrium	5	12-24"	12-18"		Evergreen, upright, undivided strap-like leaves, leathery texture. Prefers shaded, cool sites, moist, well-drained, humusy, slightly alkaline soil. Will not tolerate drought.	SH	13.95 (6) 16.95 (10) 18.95 (3)
Crested Hart's Tongue Fern	Asplenium scolopendrium 'Cristata'	5	18-24"	18-24"		Evergreen, shiny, strap-like leaves, frilled and ruffled, with forked tips. Prefers shaded, cool sites, moist, well-drained, humusy, slightly alkaline soil.	SH	13.95 (13) 18.95 (24)
Upside Down Fern/East Indian Holly Fern	Arachnoides							
Variegated East Indian Holly Fern	Arachnoides simplicior 'Variegata'	6b	12-18"	18-36"		Native to China, Japan, in wooded streambanks, crevices in cliffs, wet rocks. Glossy, lime-green fronds with deeply divided subdivisions, with showy, soft-yellow stripe down the middle of each leaflet. Creeping, spreading habit. Rich, acidic, medium to wet soil. Morning sun to full shade.	PSH-SH	16.95 (12)
Lady Fern / Japanese Painted Ferns	Athyrium					Deer Resistant		
2004 Perennial Plant of the Year Japanese Painted Fern	Athyrium niponicum var. pictum	5	12-18"	12-18"		Soft, grey-green with overlay of silvery hues, with contrasting maroon midribs and stems. Moist, well-drained, humusy soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (19)

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Apple Court Japanese Painted Fern	Athyrium niponicum var. pictum 'Apple Court'	5	24"	12-18"		Like the Japanese Painted Fern, but frond tips are crested (split).	PSH-SH	13.95 (7)
Crested Surf Japanese Painted Fern	Athyrium niponicum 'Crested Surf'	4	20 - 22"	28 - 30"		Like the Japanese Painted Fern, but the tips of the fronds are double crested. Vigorous and tall. Foliage is shades of green and grey-green.	PSH-SH	21.95 (40 Wa) 24.95 (13)
Ghost Japanese Painted Fern	Athyrium 'Ghost'	5	24-36"	18-24"		A hybrid of (A. niponicum var. pictum x A. filix-femina), noted for it's upright, silvery foliage, dark purple stems.	PSH-SH	21.95 (36 NVK)
Godzilla Japanese Painted Fern	Athyrium niponicum 'Godzilla'	5	18-36"	36"		Silver, purple and green fronds tower above other painted ferns. Massive arching clump, with dark purple stems.	PSH-SH	13.95 (1) 16.95 (1) 18.95 (7) 22.95 (18 L)
Metallicum Japanese Painted Fern (Painted Lady Fern)	Athyrium niponicum var. pictum 'Metallicum'	4	12 - 24"	12 - 24"		Slow spreading, clump-forming habit. Produces elegant rosettes of arching, refined, lance-shaped fronds. Fronds are silvery grey, almost metallic, with green highlights and subtle burgundy veination.	PSH-SH	13.95 (14)
Pearly White Japanese Painted Fern	Athyrium niponicum 'Pearly White'	4	14 - 18"	14 - 18"		Originating from China and Japan. Small mound of fronds with light green edges and a white centre giving it an ivory apperance. Sreads to form an elegant ground cover. Rich, moist well drained soi.	PSH-SH	22.95 (24)
Pewter Lace Japanese Painted Fern	Athyrium niponicum 'Pewter Lace'	5	18"	18"		Beautiful fern, pewter metallic foliage with deeply contrasting, burgundy-purple midrib. Tolerant of heat & humidity. Moist, well-drained humusy soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (1)
Regal Red Japanese Painted Fern	Athyrium niponicum var. pictum 'Regal Red'	5	12-18"	18-23"		Arching, triangular-shaped silver leaves with contrasting red stems in each leaflet. Moist, well-drained humusy soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (7)
Silver Falls Japanese Painted Fern	Athyrium niponicum var. pictum 'Silver Falls'	5	12-18"	12-18"		Stunning, lustrous fronds of silver with contrasting red veins. Silvering intensifies as season progresses. Moist, well-drained, humusy soil.	PSH-SH	16.95 (24 VN) 21.95 (18 L)

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Victorian Lady Fern	Athyrium filix-femina 'Victoriae'	5	18"	18-24"		Finely divided lady fern with unique, lacy, tiny leaflets that criss-cross up the frond and are crested at the tips. Clump-forming, this vigorous, showy fern prefers rich, moist, well-drained soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (18)
Vidals Japanese Lady Fern	Athyrium vidalii	6	18-30"	18-30"		Graceful fern with a open habit. New growth has a red flush. Native to eastern Asia. Moist, well-drained, acidic, humusy soil. Shelter from strong winds.	PSH-SH	13.95 (18)
Sweetfern	Comptonia - See Flowering Shrubs 2023 List							
Japanese Holly Fern	Cyrtomium					Deer Resistant		
Japanese Holly Fern (Fortune's Cold Holly Fern)	Cyrtomium fortunei	6	12-24"	12-18"		Native to Japan, Korea, China. Evergreen, stiff, upright, dull green fronds, each with stiff, leathery pinnae. Said to resemble holly branches. Fast grower, tall erect habit. Site in sheltered location. Moist, humusy soil, good drainage is essential to prevent rot over winter.	PSH-SH	18.95 (32 L)
Male Fern / Wood Fern	Dryopteris					Deer Resistant		
Shaggy Shield Fern	Dryopteris atrata	6	35"	24 - 35"		Native to Nepal and India. Clumping, upright form. Fronds have long midribs that resemble elephants trunks as they unfurl to reveal large, dark green leaves with black, scaly stems.	PSH-SH	
Dixie Wood Fern	Dryopteris x australis	5	36-48"	24-36"		Native to SouthEastern US. Young fronds emerge yellow, changing to green. Vase-shaped, clump-forming. Moist, well-drained, humusy, acidic soil.	PSH-SH	18.95 (14)

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Champion's Wood Fern	Dryopteris championii	6	24-36"			Native to forests of China, Japan, Korea. Erect, arching habit, very attractive, airy, glossy, brilliant green blades. Evergreen. Site protected from winter wind. Prefers light shade, humusy, moist, well-drained soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (14)
Clinton's Wood Fern	Dryopteris clintoniana	4	24-48"	24-48"		Native to Eastern NA in moist to wet swamp and woodlands. Semi-evergreen, clump forming and spreading with large broad leathery fronds. Requires moist to wet, humusy soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (11)
Crispa Male Fern	Dryopteris filix-mas 'Crispa'	5	12-14"	14-16"		Native to Eastern NA & Europe. Crimped and ruffled, triangular green fronds. Clump-forming, well-behaved fern.	PSH-SH	13.95 (36 L) 18.95 (14)
Autumn Fern	Dryopteris erythrosora	6	12 - 24"	12 - 24"		Native to Japan, China, Korea, Philippines. Arching, vase-shaped clump. New fronds open a striking coppery-pink colour, maturing to glossy, deep-green. Rich, consistently moist, well-drained soil. Native to Eastern Asia.	PSH-SH	13.95 (5) 16.95 (2)
Brilliance Autumn Fern	Dryopteris erythrosora 'Brilliance'	6	12-24"	12 - 24"		Species Native to Japan, China, Korea, Philippines. Arching, vase-shaped clump. Brighter red frond colour in spring than species, matures to glossy green. Reddish colour often returns in fall after first frost. Prefers rich, consistently moist soil. Site in location protected fm strong winds.	PSH-SH	13.95 (37) 18.95 (7) 19.95 (25 NVK)
Crispa Male Fern	Dryopteris filix-mas 'Crispa'	5	12-14"	14-16"		Native to Eastern NA & Europe. Crimped and ruffled, triangular green fronds. Clump-forming, well-behaved fern.	PSH-SH	13.95 (2)
Crispa Whiteside Crested Broad Buckler (Wood) Fern	Dryopteris dilatata 'Crispa Whiteside'	5	24"	24"		Species Native to Europe and Asia. Broadly triangular blades, toothed, crisped fronds. Semi evergreen, remove damaged fronds in early spring.	PSH-SH	13.95 (18) 18.95 (2)

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Cristata The King Male Fern	Dryopteris affinis 'Cristata The King'	5	24-48"	36"		Species Native to Europe, UK, W. Russia, Turkey. Tall, sturdy sprays of lush, dark green fronds with crested tips and pinnae. Clump forming, easy to grow, excellent woodlander. Drought tolerant once established. Semi-evergreen, cut out damaged fronds in early spring.	PSH-SH	13.95 (9) 18.95 (18)
Golden Mist Wood Fern	Dryopteris labordei (syn. D. indusiata)	6	12-24"	24"		Native to forests of Japan, Taiwan. Beautiful, salmon-orange and gold new growth matures to glossy, dark green, lacy, triangular-shaped fronds. This evergreen fern grows larger and a little more open than autumn fern (Dryopteris erythrosora). Prefers rich, moist, well-drained soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (5)
Lacy Broad Buckler Fern (Crested Wood Fern)	Dryopteris dilatata 'Lepidota Cristata'	5	12-18"	12-24"		Medium-sized clump of crested, very finely-divided, dark green, lacy fronds. Trim old fronds in spring. Prefers rich, consistently moist soil, partial to full shade.	PSH-SH	13.95 (19)
Slender Crested Male Fern	Dryopteris filix-mas 'Linearis Polydactyla'	5	36-48"	36-48"		Interesting and unusual form. Very airy in appearance, fronds are multi-forked, almost finger-like. Rich, moist, well-drained soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (23)
Parsley Male Fern	Dryopteris filix-mas 'Parsley'	5	18-24"	18-24"		Clump of crested, crinkled, dark green fronds, resemble curled parsley. Vigorous and robust grower.	PSH-SH	13.95 (7)
Remote Wood Fern / Buckler Fern	Dryopteris remota	5	24-30"	18-24"		Hybrid of (<i>D. affinis</i> x <i>D. expansa</i>). Native to Europe. Semi-evergreen, upright form, lacy, glossy medium green fronds. Moist, well-drained, acidic soil, bright shade. Protect from wind.	PSH-SH	13.95 (18)
Ostrich Fern /Shuttlecock Fern	Matteuccia					Deer Resistant		
Ostrich Fern	Matteuccia struthiopteris	3	36 - 72"	60"	Yes	NS Native species. Vase shape, spreads by runners, moist to wet soil. Excellent planted near water. Among the first ferns to flush in spring, the source of edible fiddleheads.	PSH-SH	13.95 (64) 18.95 (17) 19.95 (120 L)
Sensitive Fern	Onoclea					Deer Resistant		

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Sensitive Fern	Onoclea sensibilis	4	24-36"	36-48"	Yes	NS Native species. Large, somewhat coarse deciduous fern. The broad leaflets on the taller sterile fronds have an almost tropical appearance. Shorter, brownish fertile fronds appear at the base of the plant in mid summer. Partial to full shade. Moist, well-drained soil. Tolerates wet soil. Needs consistent moisture. Spreads by underground rhizomes if conditions optimal.	PSH-SH	18.95 (10)
Royal Fern	Osmunda					NS Native species		
Royal Fern	Osmunda regalis	4	24-36"	24-36"	Yes	NS Native species. Massive crown above the ground. Coppery colored deciduous fronds. Are green then yellow-brown. Grows in clumps, requires moist soil.	PSH-SH	18.95 (25 NVK) 21.95 (18 L)
Purple Royal Fern	Osmunda regalis 'Purpurascens'	4b	24-48"	24-48"	Yes	Cultivar of NS Native species. A truly unique and spectacular fern! Wine-purple fountain of fronds in spring, changing to green, retaining purple colour in the stems. Nicely textured foliage, reminiscent of a locust tree. Wonderful when combined with burgundy-leaved heucheras. Prefers moist to wet, acidic, humusy soil.	PSH-SH	
Christmas Fern / Sword Fern	Polystichum					Deer Resistant		
Christmas Fern	Polystichum acrostichoides	4	12-24"	12-24"	Yes	NS Native species. In spring young fiddleheads are silvery, opening to deep-green, leathery, evergreen fronds. Prefers rich, moist, well-drained soil, tolerates dry soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (1)
Braun's Holly Fern	Polystichum braunii	4	24 - 36"	24 - 36"	Yes	NS Native species. Dense, erect, arching form. Clump-forming. Lustrous, leathery, dark-green, semi-evergreen fronds. Partial to full shade. Moist, well-drained soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (1)

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Makinoi's Holly fern	Polystichum makinoi	6	20-29"	23-29"		Native to China and Japan. A non-spreading mound of arching, triangular fronds that are dark green and glossy. Trim back old fronds in late winter or spring. Prefers rich soil that remains evenly moist. Tolerates hot, humid summers.	PSH-SH	13.95 (9) 18.95 (11)
Japanese Tassel Fern	Polystichum polyblepharum	6	18 - 36"	18 - 36"		Broad, symmetrical, vase-shaped, spreading form. Lustrous dark green fronds with finely divided but overlapping pinnae. New fronds are covered in golden hairs as they unfurl in spring to which they flip back for a while, thus resembling a tassel. Stems are covered in silver scales. Lush and fresh looking all year round. Great in any floral arrangement.	PSH-SH	13.95 (19)
Soft Shield Fern	Polystichum setiferum	6	24-36"	24-36"		Native to SW & Central Europe. Lacy, lance-shaped, medium-green, semi-evergreen fronds. Stalks and midribs covered with attractive, cinnamon-brown scales. Prefers neutral to slightly acidic, rich, moist, well-drained soil. Mulch for added winter protection.	PSH-SH	13.95 (2)
Herrenhausen Soft Shield Fern	Polystichum setiferum 'Herrenhausen'	6	24"	24"		Species Native to UK, SW & Central Europe. Semi-evergreen, soft feathery textured, light green fronds form a tight clump. Moist, well-drained, neutral to slightly acidic, rich, humusy soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (12)
Beech Fern / Marsh Fern	Thelypteris							
Japanese Beech Fern	Thelypteris decursive-pinnata (syn. Phegopteris)	5	12-24"	12-18"		Native to Asia, growing in mountains, woods, walls, and rock crevices. Narrow, strongly upright habit. Dark green with lighter green undersides. Slowly spreads by runners. Moist, rich in organic matter, well-drained soil.	PSH-SH	13.95 (5) 18.95 (9)
Marsh Fern	Thelypteris palustris	5	6-24"	12-15"		Native to eastern North America. Deer Resistant. Erect to ascending finely textured light green fronds. Deciduous. Wet to moist sandy acidic soil.	SUN - PSH	18.95 (18)