



DALLAS ARBORETUM
AND BOTANICAL GARDEN

ARBORETUM APPROVED WINNERS

2025 – 2026 PLANT TRIALS

WHAT DOES ARBORETUM APPROVED MEAN?

Every year, the Trial Gardens at the Dallas Arboretum put thousands of plant varieties through a rigorous testing process in the demanding climate of North Central Texas. Breeders and growers submit new introductions, which are grown side by side and evaluated for performance, form, color, and resilience throughout the season.

Plants that score highest in their class, standing out as the best of their kind that year, earn the Arboretum Approved distinction. It is a mark of confidence home gardeners, landscapers, and industry professionals can rely on when choosing what to plant next.

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GENUS	CULTIVAR / SERIES	SUPPLIER
<i>Begonia</i>	Double Up Pink	Proven Winners
<i>Begonia</i>	Double Up White	Proven Winners
<i>Begonia</i>	Surefire White	Proven Winners
<i>Begonia</i>	Viking White on Green	Sakata
<i>Brassica</i>	Bright and Early Series	Syngenta
<i>Brassica</i>	Burgundy	Bejo
<i>Brassica</i>	Savoy King	Sakata
<i>Brassica</i>	Amethyst	Sakata
<i>Brassica</i>	Oldenbor	Bejo
<i>Brassica</i>	Gunma	Sakata
<i>Caladium</i>	Bombshell	Classic Caladiums
<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart Bold 'N Beautiful	Proven Winners
<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart Bottle Rocket	Proven Winners
<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart Chinook	Proven Winners
<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart Hot 2 Trot	Proven Winners
<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart Lemon Blush	Proven Winners
<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart Radiance	Proven Winners
<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart Raspberry Moon	Proven Winners
<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart Snow Flurry	Proven Winners

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<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart Tickle Me Pink	Proven Winners
<i>Caladium</i>	Heart to Heart White Star	Proven Winners
<i>Caladium</i>	Peppermint	Classic Caladiums
<i>Caladium</i>	Red Glamour	Classic Caladiums
<i>Caladium</i>	Southern Charm	Classic Caladiums
<i>Caladium</i>	White Delight	Classic Caladiums
<i>Calibrachoa</i>	Bloomtastic Sunshine	Dümmen Orange
<i>Calibrachoa</i>	Bloomtastic Honey	Dümmen Orange
<i>Calibrachoa</i>	Superbells Series	Proven Winners
<i>Cleome</i>	Senorita Rosalita	Proven Winners
<i>Chrysanthemum</i>	Banquet Red Bicolor	Dümmen Orange
<i>Chrysanthemum</i>	Ditto Bronze	Dümmen Orange
<i>Chrysanthemum</i>	Ditto Dark Pink Imp	Dümmen Orange
<i>Lobelia</i>	Laguna Royale Azure	Proven Winners
<i>Matthiola</i>	Early Iron Pink II	Sakata
<i>Narcissus</i>	Pueblo	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Nemesia</i>	Bluebird Imp	Proven Winners
<i>Nemesia</i>	Sunsatia Cranberry Red	Proven Winners
<i>Nicotiana</i>	Whisper Mix	Syngenta
<i>Oenothera</i>	Superlophus Sunglow	Proven Winners
<i>Petunia</i>	Dekko Maxx Pink	Syngenta
<i>Petunia</i>	Fun House Peach Melba	Syngenta
<i>Petunia</i>	Shock Wave Violet	Ball Seed
<i>Petunia</i>	Supertunia Series	Proven Winners
<i>Scaevola</i>	Scala Pink Bird	Dümmen Orange
<i>Scaevola</i>	Scala Purple Bird	Dümmen Orange
<i>Tulip</i>	Apricot Fox	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Tulip</i>	Cape Town	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Tulip</i>	Darwiorange	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Tulip</i>	El Dorado	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Tulip</i>	Kikomachi	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Tulip</i>	Lambada	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Tulip</i>	Nightmare	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Tulip</i>	Orange Van Eyk	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Tulip</i>	Strong Love	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Tulip</i>	White Valley	Abbott-Ipco
<i>Viola</i>	Cello Series	Hem Genetics
<i>Viola</i>	Freefall Golden Yellow	Syngenta

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<i>Viola</i>	Freefall Morpho	Syngenta
<i>Viola</i>	Freefall True Blue	Syngenta
<i>Viola</i>	Grandio White with Rose Blotch	Sakata
<i>Viola</i>	Spring Morning Glow	Dümmen Orange