



*San Diego Chapter*

California Native Plant Society

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# CALIFORNIA NATIVE PLANTS FOR DRY SHADE

Many of these plants also grow well in full sun, especially near the coast. Several do better with some supplemental water, but will survive in dry conditions once established. See plant information signs for watering guidelines for each plant. We welcome comments about your experience with these and other plants.

Botanical Name	Common Name	Notes
<i>Aquilegia formosa</i>	Red Columbine	Light shade, some water
<i>Arctostaphylos</i> (groundcovers)	Manzanita	Light shade
<i>Artemisia palmeri</i>	San Diego Sagewort	
<i>Calycanthus occidentalis</i>	Spice Bush	
<i>Carpenteria californica</i>	Bush Anenome	Best in shade
<i>Cercis occidentalis</i>	Western Redbud	Dappled shade
<i>Dendromecon harfordii</i>	Island Bush Poppy	Light shade
<i>Dudleya pulverulenta</i>	Chalk Dudleya	With good drainage
<i>Elymus condensatus</i>	Giant Wild Rye	
<i>Galvezia speciosa</i>	Island Snapdragon	Light shade
<i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>	Toyon	
<i>Heuchera</i> hybrids	Hybrid Coral Bells	
<i>Iris douglasiana</i>	Douglas Iris	
<i>Iva hayesiana</i>	Poverty Weed,	Light shade
	San Diego Marsh-elder	
<i>Keckiella cordifolia</i>	Heart-leaved Penstemon	
<i>Lonicera subspicata</i>	Chaparral Honeysuckle	
<i>Mimulus aurantiacus</i>	Bush Monkeyflower	Good in full sun; can tolerate some shade
<i>Mimulus puniceus</i>	Red Monkeyflower	Good in full sun; can tolerate some shade
<i>Monardella odoratissima</i> ssp. <i>australis</i>	Western Pennyroyal	
<i>Polystichum munitum</i>	Western Sword Fern	Best with some moisture
<i>Potentilla glandulosa</i>	Sticky Cinquefoil	
<i>Prunus ilicifolia</i>	Hollyleaf Cherry	Light shade
<i>Rhamnus californica</i> 'Eve Case'	Eve Case Coffeeberry	
<i>Rhamnus californica</i>	Coffeeberry	
<i>Rhus integrifolia</i>	Lemonade Berry	
<i>Rhus trilobata</i>	Basket Bush	
<i>Ribes malvaceum</i>	Chaparral Currant	
<i>Ribes speciosum</i>	Fuschia-flowered Gooseberry	
<i>Ribes viburnifolium</i>	Evergreen Currant	
<i>Salvia spathacea</i>	Hummingbird Sage	
<i>Stachys rigida</i>	Rigid Hedge Nettle	
<i>Symphoricarpos mollis</i>	Creeping Snowberry	
<i>Thalictrum polycarpum</i>	Meadow Rue	
<i>Umbellularia californica</i>	California Bay Laurel	

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