

Pin Oak

(Quercus palustris)

Mature Height: 50'-70'

Mature Spread: 25'-40'

Growth Rate: Mod-Fast

Fall color: Red

The Pin Oak is a classic shade tree with an elegant, pyramidal shape that makes it an excellent specimen tree. In ideal conditions, the fall color is brilliant red. It is tolerant of urban conditions more than most oaks. It will tolerate a wide variety of soils, but performs poorly in alkaline conditions, requiring acidification of the soil for best growth. It is more tolerant of salt and air pollution than most deciduous trees. It is excellent for park plantings and will grow well in areas with other nut trees. It is an important food source for many wildlife.



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