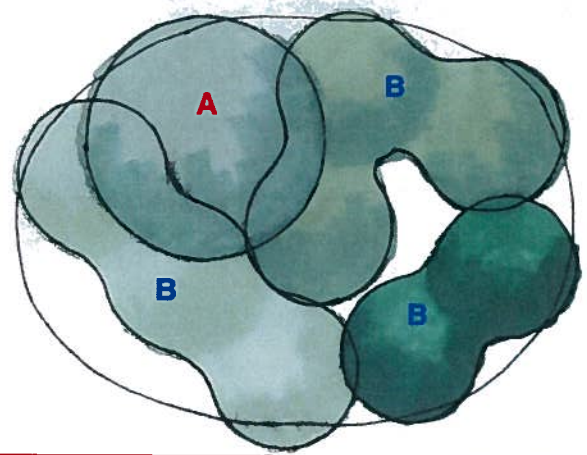


Rain Garden with Shrubs Only

There are many options for homeowners who prefer shrubs over smaller perennial plants. Each species has different qualities that add to the character of the rain garden.



A Select one (1).

Spicebush
Lindera benzoin
Height: 5-6 feet
Spread: 6-8 feet
Blooms: April
Fall color: yellow



Fringe Tree
Chionanthus virginicus
Height: 10-15 feet
Spread: 10-15 feet
Blooms: May-June
Fall color: yellow



Fragrant Snowball
Viburnum x. carlcephalum
Height: 6 feet
Spread: 6-8 feet
Blooms: May-June
Fall color: red-purple



B Select three (3).

American Beautyberry
Calliandra americana
Height: 3-5 feet
Spread: 4-6 feet
Blooms: May-July
Fall color: yellow-green



Inkberry Holly
Ilex glabra
Height: 6 feet
Spread: 4-5 feet
Blooms: May-July
Fall color: evergreen



Fragrant Sumac
Rhus aromatica
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 6 feet
Blooms: April-June
Fall color: red



Virginia Sweetspire
Itea virginica
Height: 3-6 feet
Spread: 4-6 feet
Blooms: June-July
Fall color: red-purple



New Jersey Tea
Ceanothus americanus
Height: 3 feet
Spread: 3 feet
Blooms: March-April



Wild Hydrangea
Hydrangea arborescens
Height: 3-5 feet
Spread: 3-5 feet
Blooms: June-August



American Cranberrybush
Viburnum trilobum 'Compactum'
Height: 5-6 feet
Spread: 5-6 feet
Blooms: May
Fall color: red-purple



Silverblotch Dogwood
Cornus alba 'Elegantissima'
Height: 5-6 feet
Spread: 6-8 feet
Blooms: May-July
Fall color: red

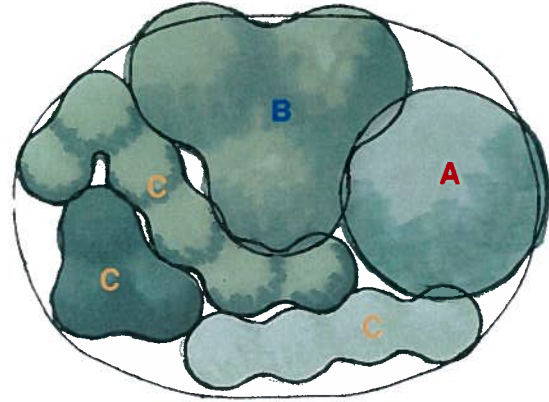


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Rain Garden for Birds and Butterflies

When these particular shrubs and perennials bloom, they generate valuable food sources for birds and butterflies. The blooms range from early spring into early fall and they are a great addition for anyone who enjoys learning about and watching native birds and butterflies



A Select one (1).

American Beautyberry
Callicarpa americana
Height: 3-5 feet
Spread: 4-6 feet
Blooms: May-July
Fall color: yellow-green



Spicebush
Lindera benzoin
Height: 5-6 feet
Spread: 6-8 feet
Blooms: April
Fall color: yellow



B Select one (1).

American Cranberrybush
Viburnum trilobum
'Compactum'
Height: 5-6 feet
Spread: 5-6 feet
Blooms: May
Fall color: red-purple



New Jersey Tea
Ceanothus americanus
Height: 3 feet
Spread: 3 feet
Blooms: March-April



Virginia Sweetspire
Itea virginica
Height: 3-6 feet
Spread: 4-6 feet
Blooms: June-July
Fall color: red-purple



C Select three (3).

Beebalm
Monarda fistulosa
Height: 2-4 feet
Spread: 1-3 feet
Blooms: May-September



Cardinal Flower
Lobelia cardinalis
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 1-2 feet
Blooms: May-October



Daylily
Hemerocallis
Height: 2-4 feet
Spread: 1-3 feet
Blooms: July-September



Common Yarrow
Achillea millefolium
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 2-3 feet
Blooms: June-September



Butterflyweed
Asclepias tuberosa
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 1-1.5 feet
Blooms: May-September



Lilyturf
Liriope
Height: 15 inches
Spread: 12-18 in.
Blooms: August-September

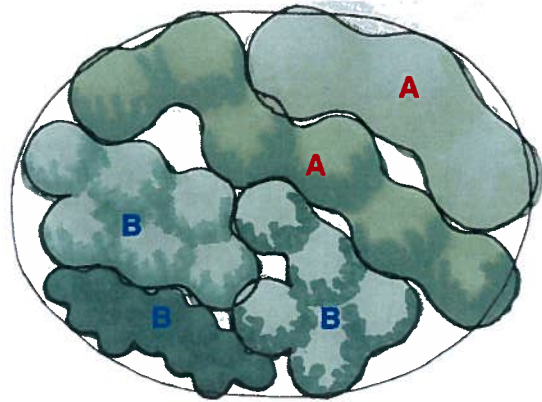


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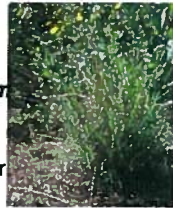
Rain Garden with Perennials Only

There are plenty of options for homeowners who prefer perennials over shrubs in their rain garden. Besides flowering plants, there is the option for a grass species to help create interest in the garden.



A Select two (2).

Little Bluestem
Schizachyrium scoparium
Height: 2-4 feet
Spread: 2-4 feet
Blooms: June-December



Fountain Grass
Pennisetum alopecuroides
Height: 3-4 feet
Spread: 4 feet
Blooms: June-July



Purple Dome Aster
Aster novae-angliae
'Purple Dome'
Height: 2 feet
Spread: 3 feet
Blooms: August-October



Brown-eyed Susan
Rudbeckia triloba
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 6-12 inches
Blooms: June-October



Beebalm
Monarda fistulosa
Height: 2-4 feet
Spread: 1-3 feet
Blooms: May-September



B Select three (3).

Cardinal Flower
Lobelia cardinalis
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 1-2 feet
Blooms: May-October



Eastern Bluestar
Amsonia tabernaemontana
Height: 1-3 feet
Spread: 1-3 feet
Blooms: March-May



Daylily
Hemerocallis
Height: 2-4 feet
Spread: 1-3 feet
Blooms: July-September



Lilyturf
Liriope
Height: 15 inches
Spread: 12-18 inches
Blooms: August-September



Northern Blue Flag
Iris versicolor
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 1-1.5 feet
Blooms: May-August



Wild Ginger
Asarum canadense
Height: 4-8 inches
Spread: 12-18 inches
Blooms: April-June

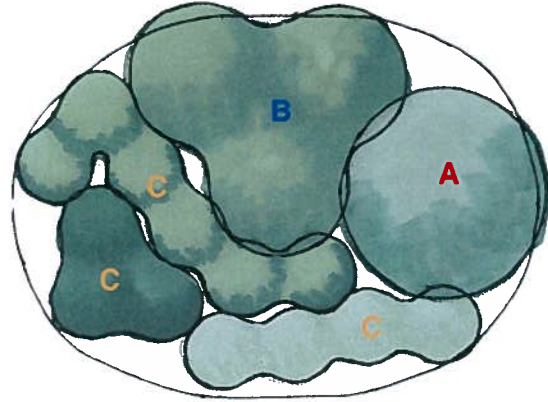


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Rain Garden for Seasonal Interest

None of these shrubs or perennials should leave your garden looking plain in the winter or early spring! Many of these plants have berries, colored branches, or leaves that are of interest during the fall and winter months.

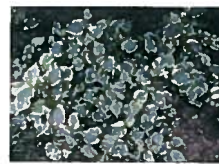


A Select one (1).

American Beautyberry
Callicarpa americana
Height: 3-5 feet
Spread: 4-6 feet
Season: Fall-Winter



Silverblotch Dogwood
Cornus alba
'Elegantissima'
Height: 6 feet
Spread: 6-8 feet
Season: Spring-Winter



B Select one (1).

Inkberry Holly
Ilex glabra
Height: 6 feet
Spread: 4-5 feet
Season: Winter



Virginia Sweetspire
Itea virginica
Height: 3-6 feet
Spread: 4-6 feet
Season: Summer



Fragrant Sumac
Rhus aromatica
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 6 feet
Season: Spring-Fall



C Select three (3).

Cardinal Flower
Lobelia cardinalis
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 1-2 feet
Blooms: May-October



Beebalm
Monarda fistulosa
Height: 2-4 feet
Spread: 1-3 feet
Blooms: May-September



Daylily
Hemerocallis
Height: 2-4 feet
Spread: 1-3 feet
Blooms: July-September



Lilyturf
Liriope
Height: 15 inches
Spread: 12-18 inches
Blooms: August-September



Purple Coneflower
Echinacea purpurea
Height: 2-3 feet
Spread: 6-12 inches
Blooms: April-September



Green & Gold
Chrysogonum virginianum
Height: 4-10 inches
Spread: 4-10 inches
Blooms: April-October



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