

Chicken-Safe Plants for a Healthy, Happy Flock

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Flowers

- ☐ Bee Balm – Perennial, Zones 3–9
- ☐ Begonia – Annual
- ☐ Black-Eyed Susan – Perennial, Zones 3–11
- ☐ Coreopsis – Perennial, Zones 3–9
- ☐ Calendula – Annual
- ☐ Daisy – Perennial, Zones 5–8
- ☐ Dandelion – Annual, medicinal
- ☐ Day Lily – Perennial, Zones 4–8
- ☐ Echinacea (Coneflower) – Perennial, Zones 3–9
- ☐ Impatiens – Annual
- ☐ Marigold – Annual, boosts yolk color
- ☐ Nasturtium – Annual, chicken favorite
- ☐ Orchid – Perennial, Zones 6–8
- ☐ Petunia – Annual
- ☐ Sunflower – Annual, seeds = scratch treat
- ☐ Thistle – Perennial, Zones 3–10
- ☐ Velvet Nettle – Perennial, Zones 3–10
- ☐ Violet – Annual
- ☐ Zinnia – Annual

Shrubs

- ☐ Bamboo – Zones 5–9, use non-invasive types
- ☐ Butterfly Bush – Zones 5–10
- ☐ Dogwood – Zones 3–8
- ☐ Fig – Zones 7–9
- ☐ Forsythia – Zones 5–9
- ☐ Gardenia – Zones 8–10
- ☐ Hop Tree – Zones 4–9
- ☐ Juniper – Zones 3–9
- ☐ Lilac – Zones 2–9, safe & parasite-reducing
- ☐ Palm – Zones 8–11
- ☐ Rose – Zones 3–11, petals/hips safe

Foliage

- ☐ Coleus – Annual
- ☐ Hens & Chicks – Perennial, Zones 4–8
- ☐ Hosta – Perennial, Zones 3–7, rich in minerals
- ☐ Lemongrass – Annual, grows dense shade clumps
- ☐ Yucca – Perennial, Zones 4–11

Vines

- ☐ Black-Eyed Susan Vine – Perennial, Zones 10–11
- ☐ Bougainvillea – Perennial, Zones 9–11
- ☐ Grape Ivy – Annual
- ☐ Nasturtium – Annual, edible leaves & blooms
- ☐ Rose – Perennial, Zones 3–11, petals & hips safe
- ☐ Swedish Ivy – Annual
- ☐ Virginia Creeper – Perennial, Zones 3–9

Herbs

- ☐ Basil – Annual
- ☐ Catnip – Perennial, Zones 3–9, calming
- ☐ Lavender – Perennial, Zones 5–10, pest repellent
- ☐ Lemon Balm – Perennial, Zones 4–11, antibacterial & rodent repellent
- ☐ Mint – Perennial, Zones 3–10, aids digestion
- ☐ Oregano – Perennial, Zones 5–11, antimicrobial
- ☐ Parsley – Annual, supports feather regrowth
- ☐ Rosemary – Perennial, Zones 6–10, repels insects

Trees

- ☐ Ash – Zones 2–9
- ☐ Citrus – Limit amounts; too much affects calcium
- ☐ Crab Apple – Zones 3–8
- ☐ Dogwood – Zones 3–8
- ☐ Elm – Zones 2–9
- ☐ Eucalyptus – Zones 8–10
- ☐ Fig – Zones 7–9
- ☐ Guava – Zones 9–12
- ☐ Hawthorn – Zones 4–7, berries are a treat
- ☐ Hop Tree – Zones 4–9
- ☐ Madrona – Zones 6–10
- ☐ Magnolia – Zones 5–9
- ☐ Manzanita – Zones 8–11
- ☐ Palm – Zones 8–11
- ☐ Papaya – Zones 9–10
- ☐ Pine – Zones 2–9
- ☐ Redbud – Zones 5–9
- ☐ Sassafras – Zones 4–9
- ☐ Willow – Zones 2–9, species vary