

EASY CARE CONIFERS

Conifers	Common Name	Drought Tolerant	Light
Abies	Fir	No, with a few exceptions	Sun-Pt Shade
Cephalotaxus	Plum Yew	Yes, and heat tolerant	Pt Shade-Shade
Chamaecyparis nootkatensis	Yellow Cedar	Yes	Sun-Pt Shade
Chamaecyparis obtusa	Hinoki Cypress	When in shade, yes. Needs water in sun	Sun-Pt Shade
Chamaecyparis pisifera	Thread-leaf & Sawara Cypress	Yes	Sun-Pt Shade
Chamaecyparis thyoides	White Cedar	No	Sun-Pt Shade
Cryptomeria	Japanese Cedar	When in shade, yes. Needs water in sun	Sun-Pt Shade
Cupressus	Cypress	Yes	Sun
Juniperus	Juniper	Yes	Sun
Larix	Larch	No	Sun-Pt Shade
Metasequoia	Dawn Redwood	No	Sun
Picea	Spruce	Picea glauca & pungens are, others aren't	Sun-Pt Shade
Pinus	Pine	Yes	Sun
Podocarpus	Plum Pine	Yes	Sun-Pt Shade
Sciadopitys	Japanese Umbrella Pine	No	Sun
Taxodium	Bald Cypress	Yes, and tolerates wet feet	Sun-Pt Shade
Taxus	Yew	Yes	Sun or Shade
Thuja occidentalis	Arborvitae	Yes	Sun-Pt Shade
Thuja plicata	Western Red Cedar	No	Sun-Pt Shade
Tsuga canadensis	Eastern Hemlock	No	Pt Shade-Shade
Tsuga heterophylla	Western Hemlock	No	Pt Shade-Shade
Tsuga mertensiana	Mountain Hemlock	No	Sun-Pt Shade