

February 2021

Proposal to plant 10 Trees

5 for Victory Fields; 5 for Cemetery

1. Ornamental cherry -Prunus Okame

1.5m – 1.8m - £79.99 (Crocus)

This tree is deciduous so it will lose all its leaves in autumn, then fresh new foliage appears again each spring.

Position: full sun

Soil: moist, well-drained fertile soil

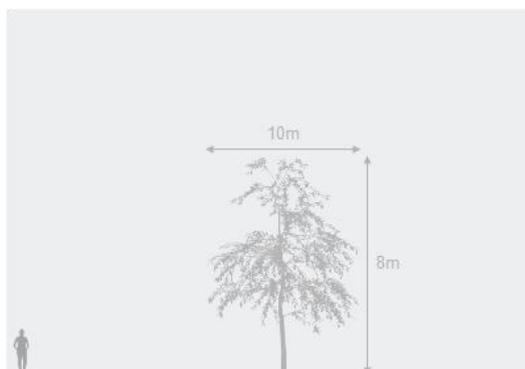
Rate of growth: vigorous

Flowering period: March

Hardiness: fully hardy

A bushy tree or shrub with sharply toothed dark green leaves turning vibrant shades of orange and red in autumn. Fragrant carmine pink flowers are produced in profusion in early spring. A lovely early-flowering cherry which looks great, even in small gardens.

Garden care: When planting incorporate lots of well-rotted garden compost in the planting hole and stake firmly. Prune in summer to reduce the risk of silver leaf and bacterial canker, cutting back any dead, diseased or crossing branches.



2. Rowan

a. Rowan - *Sorbus aucuparia*

1.5m – 1.8m- £79.99 (Crocus)

This tree is deciduous so it will lose all its leaves in autumn, then fresh new foliage appears again each spring.

Position: full sun or lightly dappled shade

Soil: tolerates most soils but prefers slightly acidic soil

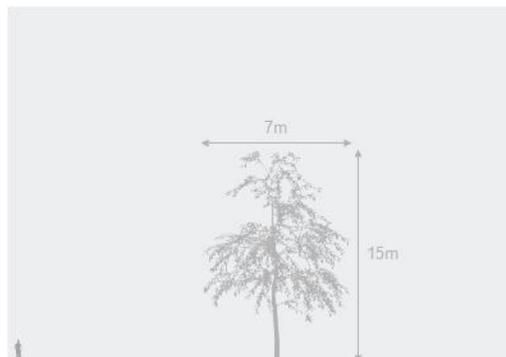
Rate of growth: fast-growing

Flowering period: April to May

Hardiness: fully hardy

Rounded tree with mid- to rich green leaves that turn deep red and yellow in autumn, especially after cool summers. Sprays of tiny white flowers cover the tree in late spring, followed by bunches of red berries in autumn. Berries are quickly eaten by birds making it ideal for a wild or woodland garden. This conical-shaped tree can also tolerate harsh conditions and is perfect for a small urban garden.

Garden care: Requires minimal pruning. Remove any broken, diseased or crossing branches in late autumn or winter. When planting incorporate lots of well-rotted garden compost in the planting hole and stake firmly.



b. Kashmir Rowan - *Sorbus aff. Cashmiriana*

0.9m – 1.2m- £79.99 (Crocus)

This tree is deciduous so it will lose all its leaves in autumn, then fresh new foliage appears again each spring.

Position: full sun or lightly dappled shade

Soil: tolerates all soils

Rate of growth: average

Flowering period: April to May

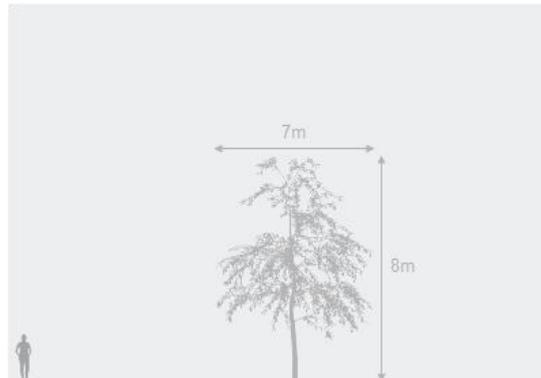


Hardiness: fully hardy

Open branched, spreading tree with dark green, pinnate leaves that turn rich russet and gold in autumn. In late spring the tree is covered in clusters of pink or white flowers, followed by large white berries which last well into winter. A charming tree for the small garden.



Garden care: Requires minimal pruning. Remove any broken, diseased or crossing branches in late autumn or winter. When planting incorporate lots of well-rotted garden compost in the planting hole and stake firmly.



3. **Liquidambar: 'Lane Roberts' Sweet Gum Tree**

5 foot - £42.99 (Primrose.co.uk)

Landscape tree with large leaves and brilliant autumn colour. Large five-lobed foliage, turning to brilliant hues of red and purple come autumn. Named after the gynecologist that delivered two children, who both went on to become presidents of the RHS.



Habit Bushy
Flower Colour Green
Foliage Colour Green
Features Serrated Foliage, Autumn Colour
Size Information:

Supplied As	9L Pot
Height on Arrival	1.5m (5ft)
Age	2 Years
Eventual Height & Spread	12m x 8m (39 x 26ft)

