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- Field Maple
- English Oak
- Silver Birch
- Common Beech

TREE PLANTING LOCATIONS



TREE PLANTING SCHEME

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All trees to be planted to Standard size (8-10cm girth)

Planting Guide

1. In good soil, dig a hole big enough for all the roots to spread out. In poor soil, dig a hole wider and deeper than needed for the roots, and partly refill. Consider adding a soil improver.
2. Break up compacted soil to improve drainage and aerate the roots.
3. Gently tease out the roots that have wound around the inside of the pot.
4. Use a stake if the tree is over 1.5m tall. Drive the stake into the bottom of the pit and then place the tree on the downwind side (to avoid it banging against the stake every time the wind blows). Stakes should not be more than a third of the height of the tree.
5. Keep the top of the root ball level with the soil surface.
6. Backfill and gently shake the tree up and down to ensure a good contact between root and soil. Once the roots are covered, continue treading more firmly until the hole is over-filled, leaving the soil slightly above the surrounding ground. 'Treading in' is most important when pit planting. Many failures are due to lack of firming. In heavy soils, do not firm so much that the soil becomes compacted.
7. Clear grass and weeds for an area of approximately 1m in diameter around the tree and apply a layer of mulch.
8. Water the tree. Drench the soil with at least five litres of water. The amount will depend on the size of the tree being planted.



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