Native Plants for Meadow and Field Habitats

*Achillea millefolium*
Yarrow
Aromatic herb with delicate fern-like leaves and flat-topped clusters of white flowers. Height: 4 inches to 3 feet (10-100 cm). Leaves deciduous.

*Adiantum aleuticum*
Maidenhair Fern, Aleutian maidenhair, western maidenhair, serpentine maidenhair
Small to medium-sized delicate, deciduous fern with a fan-shaped arrangement of five to seven fingerlike branchlets each bearing many toothed leaflets. Height: 6-43 inches (15-110 cm). Leaves deciduous.

*Allium acuminatum*
Taper-Tip Onion
This native wild onion has grass-like basal leaves overtopped by umbels of purple flowers, and egg-shaped bulbs containing a fibrous network on the surface. Height: Up to 12 inches (30 cm). Leaves deciduous.

*Allium cernuum*
Nodding Onion
Clusters of long grass-like leaves overtopped by nodding umbels of pink flowers. Height: Up to 20 inches (50 cm). Leaves deciduous.

*Amelanchier alnifolia*
Serviceberry, Saskatoon
Medium-sized shrub producing fragrant white flowers in late spring. Height: Up to 15 feet (4.5 meters). Leaves deciduous.

*Anaphalis margaritacea*
Pearly Everlasting
Clump forming, perennial herb with small withering basal leaves and papery white flower clusters. Height: Up to 40 inches (100 cm). Leaves deciduous.

*Aquilegia formosa*
Red Columbine
Delicate perennial with large nodding, star-shaped, spurred flowers that are a favorite of hummingbirds. Height: Can grow up to 3 feet (1 meter) tall. Leaves deciduous.
**Armeria maritima**  
**Sea-thrift.**  
Round balls of pink flowers held on slender leafless stems above a cluster of grass-like leaves.  
Height: Up to 18 inches (45 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Aster chilensis**  
**Common California Aster**  
A slender, sprawling perennial that produces light purple flowers.  
Height: Can grow up to 3 ft. (100 cm.) Leaves deciduous.

**Aster subspicatus**  
**Douglas Aster**  
Rhizomatous perennial wildflower with much-branched stems and light purple aster-like flower heads.  
Height: Grows up to 32 inches (80 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Boykinia occidentalis**  
**Slender Boykinia**  
A slender herb with open panicles of small white flowers.  
Height: Up to 24 inches (60 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Brodiaea congesta**  
**Harvest Lily**  
Long slender stems to 3 feet (1 meter) in length topped by a dense cluster of deep purple flowers.  
Height: Up to 3 feet (1 meter) tall. Leaves deciduous.

**Brodiaea hyacinthina**  
**Fool's Onion, White Brodiaea**  
Onion-like plant from an underground corm, with large clusters of white flowers at tip of stems.  
Height: 10-30 inches (25-70 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Camassia leitchlinii**  
**Great Camas**  
Stately perennial from a deep bulb, producing spikes of large blue flowers in early spring.  
Height: Up to 28 inches (70 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Camassia quamash**  
**Common Camas**  
Bulbous perennial producing a spike of large blue flowers.  
Height: Up to 28 inches (70 cm). Leaves deciduous.
**Campanula rotundifolia**  
*Harebell*  
Delicate stems topped by large, nodding bell-shaped blue flowers.  
Height: 4-32 inches (10-80 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Castilleja miniata**  
*Red Paintbrush*  
An attractive wildflower with red brush-like flower clusters.  
Height: 8-32 inches (20-80 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Cerastium arvense**  
*Field Chickweed*  
Leaves deciduous.

**Chamerion angustifolium**  
*Fireweed*  
Tall perennial from rhizome like roots with unbranched stem and terminal spikes of large red to pink flowers.  
Height: Up to 10 feet (3 meters), but usually shorter than 6 feet (2 meters). Leaves deciduous.

**Clarkia amoena**  
*Farewell to Spring*  
A taprooted annual with large showy, usually pink flowers; often grown horticulturally.  
Height: 4 inches to 3 feet (10-100 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Claytonia perfoliata**  
*Miner's Lettuce*  
Low-growing, mat-like herbaceous annual with succulent round leaves.  
Height: 12 inches (30 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Claytonia sibirica**  
*Siberian Spring Beauty*  
Low-growing delicate herb.  
Height: Up to 16 inches (40 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Cornus unalaschkensis**  
*Bunchberry*  
Low, trailing, rhizomatous perennial with white flowers.  
Height: Up to 10 inches (25 cm). Leaves deciduous.
**Corylus cornuta**  
**Beaked Hazelnut**  
Slender, multi-trunked deciduous shrub.  
Height: 3 feet - 13 feet (1 meter - 4 meters). Leaves deciduous.

**Deschampsia cespitosa**  
**Tufted Hairgrass**  
Densely tufted perennial grass.  
Height: Up to 4 feet (120 cm) tall. Leaves deciduous.

**Dodecatheon hendersonii**  
**Henderson’s Shooting Star**  
Leafless stems topped with nodding star-shaped pink flowers. This is our only shooting star with oval leaves.  
Height: Up to 1.5 feet (50 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Eleocharis palustris**  
**Creeping Spikerush**  
A wetland plant with leafless, grass-like stems topped by small brownish spikes of flowers.  
Height: Up to 3 feet (100 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Elymus glaucus**  
**Blue Wild-rye**  
Tufted perennial grass usually forming small clumps, 0.5 to 1.5 m tall.  
Height: 20-40 inches (0.5-1 meter). Leaves deciduous.

**Epilobium watsonii**  
**Watson’s Willowherb**  
Erect herbaceous perennial with opposite leaves.  
Height: Up to 5 feet (150 cm). Leaves evergreen.

**Equisetum arvense**  
**Field Horsetail**  
Succulent, hollow, jointed stems with whorls of branches.  
Height: 6-24 inches (15-60 cm). Leaves evergreen.

**Equisetum telmatioides**  
**Giant Horsetail**  
More robust and larger than common horsetail. Sheaths around its sterile stems have 14-18 teeth.  
Height: 3-7.5 (10) feet tall; 1-2.3 (3) meters tall. Leaves deciduous.
**Eriophorum chamissonis**
Chamisso's Cotton-grass
Extensive beds growing from spreading rhizomes or stolons with tufts of cotton-like seed heads.
Height: 8-28 inches (20-70 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Eriophyllum lanatum**
Woolly Sunflower
Wooly leafy perennial with yellow daisy-like flowers.
Height: Up to 2 feet (60 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Erythronium oregonum**
White Fawn Lily
Showy white lily from segmented corm.
Height: Flower stem up to 1 feet (30 cm) tall. Leaves deciduous.

**Erythronium revolutum**
Pink fawn lily
Large nodding pink flowers grow from a thick and segmented corm.
Height: Up to 14 inches (35 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Festuca rubra**
Red Fescue
Perennial grass with thread-like leaves forming small patches.
Height: Can grow up to 4 feet (1.2 meters) tall. Leaves evergreen.

**Fritillaria lanceolata**
Chocolate Lily, Rice Root
Rare herb to 80 cm tall from bulb with numerous rice-like bulblets; flowers are mottled maroon and yellow.
Height: Up to 32 inches (80 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Galium aparine**
Cleavers, Bedstraw
Leaves deciduous.

**Geum macrophyllum**
Large-leaved Avens
Hairy perennial with short rhizomes and big leaves topped by small yellow flowers.
Height: Up to 3 feet (1 meters). Leaves deciduous.
**Gilia capitata**  
Globe Gilia  
Upright taprooted annual with large ball-like heads of blue flowers.  
Height: Up to 3 feet (1 meter). Leaves deciduous.

**Glyceria elata**  
Tall Mannagrass, Fowl Mannagrass  
Tall wetland grass.  
Height: Up to 5 feet (1.5 meters). Leaves deciduous.

**Goodyera oblongifolia**  
Rattlesnake Plantain  
Evergreen orchid from short rhizomes with an unusual mottled leaf pattern.  
Height: Up to 1.5 feet (45 cm). Leaves evergreen.

**Hordeum brachyantherum**  
Meadow Barley  
Grass with erect stems that are bent at the base and sometimes hairy on the leaf sheaths.  
Height: Up to 3 feet (90 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Iris tenax**  
Oregon Iris  
Clumped, perennial iris with large purple flowers.  
Height: Up to 16 inches (40 cm). Leaves evergreen.

**Juncus acuminatus**  
Tapertip Rush  
Tufted perennial grass-like plant.  
Height: Up to 32 inches (80 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Kalmia microphylla ssp. occidentalis**  
Bog Laurel  
Small, slender-branched shrub with dark green waxy leaves and clusters of bright pink flowers.  
Height: Up to 3 feet (1 meter). Leaves deciduous.

**Lilium columbianum**  
Tiger Lily  
Leaves deciduous.
**Lithophragma parviflorum**  
Small-flowered Woodland Star  
Delicate herb from slender rhizomes with numerous small bulblets; white star-shaped flowers.  
Height: 2-16 inches (10-40 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Lomatium utriculatum**  
Spring Gold  
Perennial herb with finely lacey foliage and flat-topped umbels of bright yellow flowers.  
Leaves deciduous.

**Lupinus polyphyllus**  
Large-leaved Lupine  
A large perennial native forb with spikes of blue flowers from one to many hairy stems.  
Height: 3-6 feet (1-2 meters). Leaves deciduous.

**Lysichiton americanum**  
Skunk Cabbage  
A wetland plant with very large waxy erect leaves and yellow flower spikes enclosed in a large yellow sheath.  
Height: 1-5 feet (30-150 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Mimulus lewisii**  
Pink Monkey-flower  
A clump forming perennial with large pinkish-red flowers.  
Leaves deciduous.

**Olsynium douglasii**  
Satin Flower, Grass Widow  
Showy tufted perennial resembling a miniature iris topped with large pink to purple flowers.  
Height: Up to 12 inches (30 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Platanthera dilatata**  
White Rein-Orchid, Bog Candle  
Perennial orchid with spikes of white flowers from tuber-like roots.  
Height: Up to 28 inches (70 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Plectritis congesta**  
Sea Blush  
Delicate annual herb with large dense clusters of small pink flowers.  
Height: Up to 2 feet (60 cm). Leaves deciduous.
**Polemonium pulcherrimum**  
Showy Jacob's-ladder  
Taprooted perennial with mostly basal leaves and blue bell-shaped flowers. Height: Up to 14 inches (35 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Populus tremuloides**  
Quaking Aspen  
Deciduous thicket-forming tree with smooth white bark and leaves that "quake" in the wind. Leaves deciduous.

**Potentilla gracilis**  
Graceful Cinquefoil  
Light green herb with toothed palmate leaves and diffuse panicles of yellow, saucer-shaped flowers. Height: Up to 32 inches (80 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Prunella vulgaris ssp. lanceolata**  
Self Heal  
Fibrous-rooted perennial from short rhizome or stem-base with small purple flowers. Height: Up to 20 inches (50 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Pteridium aquilinum**  
Bracken Fern  
Rhizomous perennial fern with large, much-divided solitary fronds. Height: Usually 3-6 feet (1-2 meters) tall, sometimes taller. Leaves deciduous.

**Quercus garryana**  
Garry Oak  
Beautiful, deciduous, heavy limbed oak tree. Height: Up to 82 feet (25 meters). Leaves deciduous.

**Ranunculus occidentalis**  
Western Buttercup  
Slender perennial herb with fibrous roots and yellow flowers. Height: Up to 2 feet (60 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Rorippa curvisiliqua**  
Curvepod Yellowcress  
Leaves deciduous.
**Rosa nutkana**  
Nootka Rose  
Spindly shrub with a pair of prickles at the base of each leaf and large pink rose flowers.  
Height: Up to 10 feet (3 meters). Leaves deciduous.

**Sambucus racemosa**  
Red Elderberry  
Shrub to small tree with clusters of small white flowers and red berries.  
Height: 20 feet (6 meters). Leaves deciduous.

**Sisyrinchium idahoense**  
Blue-eyed Grass  
A small clump-forming iris-like plant with small blue flowers.  
Height: 28 inches (40 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Solidago canadensis**  
Canada Goldenrod  
Forms patches from long creeping rhizomes. Stems leafy and hairy near the top, with a dense cluster of small yellow flowers.  
Height: Up to 5 feet (1.5 meters). Leaves deciduous.

**Stachys cooleyae**  
Cooley’s Hedge Nettle  
Perennial from rhizomes.  
Height: Up to 5 feet (1.5 meters). Leaves deciduous.

**Urtica dioica**  
Stinging Nettle  
Tall perennial herb with deciduous leaves covered in stinging hairs.  
Leaves deciduous.

**Viola adunca**  
Early-blue Violet  
A blue flowered violet that grows from slender rhizomes and is stemless in the early season, later grow upright stem.  
Height: Up to 4 inches (10 cm). Leaves deciduous.

**Xerophyllum tenax**  
Beargrass  
Forms a tall grass-like clump of tough leaves topped by a large dense cluster of white flowers.  
Height: 3-5 feet (1-1.5 meters). Leaves evergreen.