



Landscaping with Edibles

If you want to make your landscape work for you, try replacing some standard landscape plants with trees and shrubs that will produce fruit! They are beautiful plants that add a unique (and edible) touch to any garden.

Instead of an oak or elm tree, try these large fruit trees for shade:

Mango
Avocado
Sapotes
Mulberry
Pecans
Jakfruit

For an ornamental tree of a moderate size, plant one of these delicious fruits:

Lychee and Longan
Persimmon and Citrus
Condo Mango
Atemoya, Sugar Apple, Soursop
Apples, Peaches, Nectarines
Strawberry Tree or Carambola
Tamarind or Macadamia
Jaboticaba or Guava

For an edible privacy hedge, skip the standard viburnum or ligustrum and try one of these fruiting shrubs:

Blueberries
Cattleya Guava
Grumichama or Cherry of the Rio Grande
Barbados Cherry or Surinam Cherry
Pitomba
Tea Plant
Pomegranate

For a patio, porch or balcony these fruits will grow and produce well in containers and can be kept small with some pruning:

Condo Mangos
Barbados Cherry
Pear Guava
Jujube
Lychee
Strawberry Tree
Miracle Fruit
Grumichama or Jaboticaba

Most fruits like sun, but these selections can be planted in a shady spot:

Carambola
Bananas
Tea
Miracle Fruit

If you've got a wall that needs to be filled, use a trellis and let one of these vines climb up it:

Passion Fruit
Kiwi
Blackberry or Raspberry
Dragon Fruit
Muscadine Grapes



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