

RESOURCES ON NON-NATIVE INVASIVE PLANTS

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Invasives in Your Backyard

HELP REMOVE INVASIVES!

Training and volunteer opportunities

- Montgomery County Parks Weed Warriors <https://www.montgomeryparks.org/caring-for-our-parks/natural-spaces/weed-warriors/>
- Friends of Sligo Creek www.fosc.org Check calendar for upcoming opportunities to help remove invasives in the park.
- Chesapeake Climate Action Network (CCAN) Invasive Species and Climate Change: How to Save Trees from Invasive Vines <https://chesapeakeclimate.org/invasive-species/>
And video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xOONHR_19OY

Identifying Invasives

- Common Invasive Plants: Easy ID Cards. From the Maryland Dept. of Natural Resources https://dnr.maryland.gov/wildlife/Documents/Invasive_plants_cards.pdf. Great photos and descriptions of common MD invasives.
- University of MD Extension, Invasive Plants <https://extension.umd.edu/hgic/topics/invasive-plants>
- iNaturalist: phone/web app iNaturalist.org Identify Tool

Where to Buy MD Native Plants

- Regional Native Plant Vendors – list produced by MD Native Plant Society <https://mdflora.org/nurseries.html>

What to Plant Instead...

- University of MD Extension recommended Native Plants for MD <https://extension.umd.edu/hgic/topics/native-plants>
- Virginia Native Plant Society Alternatives to English Ivy: photos and descriptions of native alternatives to English ivy, for sunny or shady locations. <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/sites/parks/files/assets/documents/nature-history/greenspring/shade%20loving%20plants.pdf>