Blueberry Plants \$10 each

You will need at least two varieties of blueberries in order to produce fruit.



Brightwell - Early season fruit, ahead of Tifblue. Average fruit size, very firm. Plants grow upright and open. Berries are light blue with excellent quality and flavor. Yields are high. Pollinators: Tifblue, Climax.

Climax - Climax is an early ripening berry that produces medium fruit with a sweet flavor and is best for harvesting a larger quantity of berries. Climax growth is upright with intense green foliage. Pollinators: Alapaha, Austin, Premier

Onslow - Onslow produces one of the largest berries produced by a rabbiteye type. Onslow is a **self-fertile** vigorous grower. A mid to late season producer, with semi-upright large fruit.

Powderblue - Large, sweet fruit. Powderblue ripens later in the season, however, it is highly productive. This is an upright plant with good foliage. Pollinator: Tifblue

Premier - Premier is an early to mid-season producer with large fruit that possesses excellent flavor. Premier is highly productive. Plant grows upright with good foliage. **Self-fertile**

Southland - Southland is a mid to late season producer with medium to large fruit and good quality through the entire season. Plant growth is compact and upright. Pollinator: Brightwell, Delite, Tifblue

Tifblue - Tifblue is a mid-season ripening plant with medium to large berries. Tifblue is an upright vigorous grower. Tifblue leaves turn red in the fall making it a good ornamental plant. Pollinator: Brightwell, Powderblue.

Order & Pay Online with Credit Card:

To order plants with a credit card, please go to our website: *lincoln.ces.ncsu.edu* locate the plant sale article, click on the link, and follow the directions. (additional transaction fees may apply)

OR

Bring cash or checks made out to: *Lincoln County 4-H* to 115 W Main Street, Lincolnton.

Phone: (704) 736-8461 | email: raevans5@ncsu.edu

NO Mail-in Payments Accepted

Variety	Cost	#	Total \$
Apple: Gala	\$18		
Apple: Golden Sentinel	\$18		
Apple: Scarlet Sentinel	\$18		
Azalea: Encores (indicate color w/ #: VPW, R, DPK, W, LR, WPK, C, LPK, LA)	\$25		
Blueberry: Brightwell	\$10		
Blueberry: Climax	\$10		
Blueberry: Onslow	\$10		
Blueberry: Powderblue	\$10		
Blueberry: Premier	\$10		
Blueberry: Southland	\$10		
Blueberry: Tifblue	\$10		
Blackberry: Prime Ark. Freedom	\$5		
Blackberry: Ouachita	\$5		
Butterfly Bush: Black Knight	\$25		
Butterfly Bush: Honeycomb	\$25		
Butterfly Bush: Miss Ruby	\$25		
Butterfly Bush: Pugster	\$25		
Camellia: Yuletide	\$25		
Camellia: Cotton Candy	\$25		
Elderberry: Pair	\$15/pair		
Fig: Celeste	\$15		
Fig: Texas Everbearing	\$15		
Herb: Basil	\$4/6pack		
Herb: Chives	\$4/6pack		
Herb: Cilantro	\$4/6pack		
Herb: Dill	\$4/6pack		
Herb: Lemon Balm	\$4/6pack		
Herb: Sage	\$4/6pack		
Muscadine: Isons	\$8		
Muscadine: Magnolia	\$8		
Pear: Barlett	\$18		
Pear: Moonglow	\$18		
Raspberry: Caroline Red	\$5		
Raspberry: Jewel Black	\$5		
Strawberry: Sweet Charlie (25)	\$10/bundle		
Tomato: Better Boy	\$5/6 \$20/36		
Tomato: Celebrity	\$5/6 \$20/36		

Please return a copy of the order form to Lincoln County Cooperative Extension with your payment in person or submit online with credit card payment.

Name:			
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Lincoln County Cooperative Extension

4-H Program Fundraiser



2025 Plant Sale



Deadline for Ordering Plants is March 5, 2025

Online Ordering & Payment Accepted (information inside)

Plants will be available late March at the James Warren Citizens Center in Lincolnton. You will be notified of the precise time and dates of pick-up.

We will do our best to obtain quality plants from reputable sources. However, we are unable to provide a guarantee on their performance.

Apple Trees \$18 each

Gala - This apple is medium sized with golden-yellow skin and a red-orange blush. The Gala apple's flesh is firm, sweet, crisp, and juicy. The apple stores very well. Ripens late August through early September. **Self-fertile**

Golden Sentinel Columnar - Enjoy striking pillars of snow-white flowers in spring followed by a September crop of large golden-yellow fruit. Sweet, delicious and firm. Great for fresh eating, cider, or baking. Pollinate with Scarlet Sentinel.

Scarlet Sentinel Columnar - This tree produces dense clusters of bright white flowers followed by an abundant crop of large, greenish-yellow fruit with red blush, in September. Very juicy and sweet and is the most compact variety. Pollinate with Golden Sentinel.

Azalea \$25/3 gallon pot

Encore - Comes in all colors, blooms from April to June and again August to November. Great for bees and other pollinating insects, loves full sun. **Self-fertile Choose Color:** VPW: variegated purple & white, R: red, DPK: dark pink, W: white, LR: light red, WPK: white w/ pink strip, C: coral, LPK: light pink, LA: lavender

Blackberry Plants \$5 each

Prime Arkansas Freedom - Thornless, ever-bearing blackberry. Fruits early season and then produces another crop later in the season on older canes. It is very large with excellent flavor. **Self-fertile**

Ouachita - The Ouachita blackberry is large, sweet and thornless. It has very upright and prolific cones. Ripens mid-season and its fruiting extends for about 5 weeks. **Self-fertile**

Butterfly Bushes \$25/3 gallon pot

Black Knight - Deep purple blooms create a stunning contrast to its dark green foliage. Intensely fragrant and attractive to pollinators, 'Black Knight' is perfect for a delightful show of butterflies and hummingbirds. Easy to grow, deer-resistant. **Self-fertile**

Honeycomb - Beautiful, yellow blooms cover this bush from summer to fall. The silver-green foliage has a feathery texture and provides a perfect background for the creamy yellow blossoms. The sweet nectar scent produced by this shrub is desirable to butterflies, hummingbirds, and bees. This shrub is drought, deer, and heat tolerant. **Self-fertile**

Miss Ruby - Brilliant rich pink/red summer blooms unlike any other variety. Attracts butterflies and hummingbirds. Fragrant. Deer resistant. Like all of the "Miss" series, 'Miss Ruby' butterfly bush is non-invasive. Drought tolerant. **Self-fertile**

Pugster - Pugster has full size, fragrant, blue-purple blooms on a compact bush. It blooms non-stop from early summer through frost. Thanks to thick, sturdy stems, the Pugster offers vastly improved hardiness and winter survival over other types of dwarf butterfly bushes. It is drought-tolerant, attracts pollinators, and resists deer and rabbits. **Self-fertile**

Camellia \$25/3 gallon pot

Yuletide - This compact shrub has glossy, dark green leaves which remain throughout the year. Bright red single blooms with contrasting yellow stamens bloom during the winter.

Cotton Candy - Often the first of the fall blooming Camellias to flower, this veriety produces a mesmerizing abundance of fully double, fluffy flowers with cotton candy pink petals. A standout in the garden! This highly desirable ornamental bush has a sturdy, upright growth habit with small dark green leaves that make it useful as a hedge or a small evergreen shrub.

Elderberry Plants \$15/pair

Adam - A very popular intensely flavored fruit with rich aroma. Ripens late August. Extremely hardy. Produces soft, dark purple berries that make the best jams, jellies, and wines. Produces white blooms in spring followed by a bounty of berries - ready for picking in August. **Requires pollination, provided by "John" in this pair.**

John - Produces huge clusters of large, sweet, purplish-black berries that are wonderful for pies and delicious homemade wines. Pick them by the hundreds in clusters. Hold clusters under the faucet then strip them from the stems by the hundreds with a wet fork for cooking and freezing. Grow in the sun or shade, even in wet conditions that would kill less hardy plants. **Requires pollination**, **provided by "Adam" in this pair.**

Fig Trees \$15 each

(bare root, gel packed & wrapped)

Celeste - The very sweet flesh has a rich honey flavor and has often been called the "sugar fig". Produces medium sized figs even in unfavorable weather. Skin is a brownish color with rose flesh. Very widely planted variety. The most cold hardy variety available. This one is an excellent varity for fig preserves and also for dried fruit. **Self-fertile**

Texas Everbearing - The Texas Everbearing produces large brownish to purple high quality figs with amber flesh. It is also great for making preserves. It fruits continuously for a 60-70 day period from early in the season to the end of summer. Produces a light crop first followed by a heavy second crop. **Self-fertile**

Herbs \$4/6 pack

Basil - Basil is easy to grow in the summer once the soil has warmed up nicely—and it's a great companion to tomatoes!

Chives - Chives grow best in full sun, though they will tolerate light shade. Ideally, the soil should be moist, fertile, and well-draining.

Cilantro - Grow cilantro in an area that receives full sun and has rich, well-drained soil. All parts of the plant are edible, but the fresh leaves and the dried seeds are most traditionally used in cooking.

Dill - Give dill a warm, sunny growing position in fertile, free-draining soil or a large container. It dislikes cold, soggy conditions.

Lemon Balm - Lemon balm is an attractive plant with a fragrant, lemon-like odor. Used for tea and home remedies, it is very easy to grow. It grows to a maximum height of 1 meter. The leaves have a mild lemon scent that repels mosquitos. During summer, small white flowers full of nectar appear.

Sage - Sage is a perennial, evergreen subshrub, with woody stems, grayish leaves, and blue to purplish flowers. It is a member of the mint family.

Muscadine Vines \$8 each

(2 year bare root)

Ison's - A beautiful black variety that is one of the best **self-fertile** ones available. Contains 19% sugar and has excellent size and production. Ripens uniformly early to mid-season and produces beautiful large clusters and is great for all uses.

Magnolia - A bronze **self-fertile** variety that is very productive and yields good quality, medium size fruit. This muscadine vine is excellent for white wine. Muscadine fruit ripens mid-season and contains 15% sugar.

Pear Trees \$18 each

Moonglow - The tree produces large pears with brownish-green skin. The Moonglow pear's soft, juicy flesh is nearly free of grit and has a sweet mild flavor. This pear tree ripens early August, 2 week prior to Bartlett. Good pollinator for other pear varieties.

Barlett - This tree produces the world's most popular pear. The fruit is large and golden yellow with a brownish red blush. Bartletts have smooth, juicy, white flesh and are good for fresh eating and preserves. Ripens mid-August. Will produce a better harvest when planted with another variety to pollinate.

Raspberry Plants \$5 each

Caroline Red - Produces heavy crops of large raspberries. Excellent flavor. Very vigorous, June to September harvest. **Self-fertile**

Jewel Black - Largest, most popular black raspberry variety. It produces excellent yields of superb quality berries. The fruit is glossy black and very large in size and has a rich flavor. Excellent choice for use in jams and jellies. Jewel is winter hardy and a very reliable choice with a September harvest. **Self-fertile**

Strawberry Plants \$10/bundle of 25

Sweet Charlie - Produces large sweet berries that taste like it has sugar on it fresh from the field. Good for our area. June harvest. Our <u>bare-root</u> strawberry plants arrive in bundles of 25 ready to <u>transplant</u>. **Self-fertile**

Tomatoes \$5/6 pack OR \$20/36 pack

Better Boy - This old-fashioned beefsteak has large, sweet fruits that are lower in acidity and quite meaty, making them perfect for slicing.

Celebrity - This tomato is a hybrid that produces long stems holding 20 or more very plump, robust tomatoes. Fruits can weigh approximately 8 oz. and can get 4 inches across.

Cherokee Purple - An old Cherokee Indian heirloom, pre-1890 variety; beautiful, deep, dusky purple-pink color, superb sweet flavor, and verylarge-sized fruit. Try this one for real old-time tomato flavor.