

Redbud

Cercis canadensis

Height: 20'-30'
Width: 25'-35'
(At Maturity)
Growth/Yr: 12"-18"
USDA Zone: 4-9
Bloom: Pink
Time: April
Sun: Full to Partial
Water: Medium



This ornamental tree produces rosy pink flowers in April before it leafs out. When the leaves are new they have a reddish purple hue, turning dark green with maturity. The leaf is heart shaped and has yellow fall color. It will produce a pea pod like fruit, that is approximately 2 1/2 to 3 inches long.

Where Redbud grows naturally, it is an understory tree so you may find it will perform better in areas that are protected from extremes in our weather. It grows best in moist, well drained soils but will tolerate a wide range of soils, and is drought tolerant.