

China Girl Holly



Excellent heat tolerance and berries at Christmas!

Ilex x meserveae 'Mesog'

- **Use:** However, it is most commonly used as a foundation shrub of 3' tall and wide which is easily maintained by a yearly trimming.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun to part shade. Use slow release fertilizer for best results.
- **Growth:** Moderate grower to 6 or more feet tall, 6 to 8 feet wide. Can easily be kept shorter with trimming when young.
- **Hardiness:** 5-8, shrub
- **Foliage:** Glossy green leaves. Dense branching habit takes shearing well. Use China Boy® holly or any other holly as a pollinizer for good berry set. Evergreen.
- **Flower:** Not known for flowers, but bright red contrasting berries in winter.