

Northern Lights Spiraea



Spiraea japonica 'Northern Lights'

- **Use:** Northern Lights shows off a brilliant display of three colors on one plant. New growth emerges bright red before aging to yellow and then light green. Foliage colors are most intense in spring and fall. Pink flowers start in late spring and sporadically re-bloom throughout the season. It is low-maintenance and performs excellently in the landscape.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full– part sun. (Grow in full sun for best color.) Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Drought tolerant once established
- **Growth:** Moderate growth to 3 to 4 feet tall and 3 to 4 feet wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 4 -9; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Vibrant golden spring foliage that cools to a yellowish green in summer then a rich, yellowish orange in fall.
- **Flower:** Pink flowers are added to the color palette in May and June and will sporadically rebloom.