

# Hetz Wintergreen Arborvitae



A tall, narrowly columnar evergreen tree with dark green foliage which holds its color well in winter; makes an excellent articulation tree or very tall hedge, hardy and adaptable, takes pruning well; best with some sun, protect from drying winds



## *Thuja occidentalis* 'Hetz Wintergreen'

- **Use:** A hardy, upright evergreen with dark green foliage and a naturally narrow shape. It may be left to grow naturally or sheared for a formal look. Use as a tall hedge, screen or accent for foundation plantings, beds and borders.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full/part sun; well-draining soil. Water may not puddle around plant, and appreciates slow release fertilizer twice a year. Water if it hasn't rained in 7-10 days first 2 years. Must amend the soil if you have red clay! We recommend our **Pro Mix Soil!**
- **Growth:** Will grow to be about 25 feet tall at maturity, with a spread of 8 feet. It has a low canopy with a typical clearance of 1 foot from the ground, and is suitable for planting under power lines. It grows at a medium rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for 50 years or more.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 4-9; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. dark green foliage. The scale-like leaves remain dark green throughout the winter.
- **Flowers:** Neither the flowers nor the fruit are ornamentally significant.