

McColley's Finale Philodendron



Philodendron 'McColley's Finale'

- **Use:** McColley's Finale Philodendron is a vibrant hybrid cultivar from the Philodendron genus native to the tropical parts of South America. This hybrid features long, oval-shaped leaves that morph from bright red to green. It grows from its center unlike other Philodendron vines. One of the most variable genera of houseplants on the market, Philodendrons can come in many shapes, sizes, forms & colors! Most Philodendrons are either vining or mounding types, & many Philodendrons will change their leaf shape as they mature!
- **Exposure/Soil:** Grows well in bright indirect light. In lower light the leaves turn a darker green. Too much light or direct sun burns the leaves so be sure to give them bright, indirect light. Enjoys moist but not soggy soil. During the winter, water less often, keeping the soil barely moist. Do not let plant stand in water in saucer either. Feed monthly during the spring, summer, and fall with a water-soluble balanced fertilizer diluted to ½ the recommended strength. Too much plant food causes excess salt build up in the soil and can cause leaf burn.
- **Growth:** A slow-growing houseplant, it makes for an excellent addition to your favorite desk or tabletop when young. As it matures, it can reach 1-2 feet tall and 1-2' wide or so as a houseplant. To prevent the plant from leaning, we recommend rotating it weekly to ensure it receives even sun exposure.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 10-12 Annual; Houseplant, must bring inside in the winter or when temps go below 60 degrees.
- **Foliage:** Gets its name from its uniquely hued leaves, which change color over time. New growth will get more deep red as the plant ages and gets deeper with lower light.
- **Flower:** Not known for flowers.



This plant filters pollutants from the air while releasing oxygen. With this plant in your home, you breathe cleaner air.

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