

Nellie R Stevens Holly



**Loved for
it's ability
to be
trained
as a
small
tree,
hedge, or
pyramidal
shaped
accent
shrub.**



Ilex x 'Nellie R Stevens'

- **Use:** One of the most attractive of all hollies. Vigorous grower with dense branches, it makes an excellent tall screen. Creates an impressive statement in the landscape when planted in groups, used as a large background plant or specimen. Loved for the clusters of berries in the winter!
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun-part shade. Well-drained soil, not soggy. Water the 1st two years for best growth. If it doesn't rain for 7-10 days, then water. For fastest growth use slow release fertilizer two times a year!
- **Growth:** Strong growth 15 to 20 feet tall and 10 feet wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-9; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. Dark evergreen foliage.
- **Flower:** Bears abundant, large, bright orange-red berries. Not known for flowers. Male Chinese hollies are useful planted nearby as pollinizers.