

Fireglow Japanese Maple



Graceful and beautiful tree for the garden! Plant where the fall foliage will be back-lit by the sun for superb effect.

Acer palmatum 'Fireglow'

- **Use:** Named for its luminescent purple-scarlet to crimson red fall colors, this selection is similar to the popular 'Bloodgood' but smaller in stature and with deeper red foliage persisting through summer. Vigorous and quite sun-tolerant, with a slow growing, upright habit. Outstanding garden or container accent specimen.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Prefers morning sun with a little afternoon shade in the South to prevent leaf scald in late summer. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Will not tolerate soggy or extremely dry soil.
- **Growth:** Reaches 6-10 ft. tall and wide in 10 years; to 15-20 ft. tall, 15 ft. wide with age (15+ years).
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-8, Tree
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. The spring leaves are bright pink-red and remain red in color through the summer more so than many other similar cultivars which darken to a burgundy color. Fall color is fantastic scarlet red. One of the best on the market at holding leaf color.
- **Flower:** An abundance of flowers each spring that produce a multitude of seeds – called 'samaras'. The samaras hang down as little ornaments which adds to the overall look of this beautiful maple.