

Weeping White Yoshino Cherry



Prunus x yedoensis 'Pendula'

- **Use:** Flowering Weeping Cherry is among the most beautiful of the spring blossom displays. The consummate tree of the Japanese tea garden and in other Asian landscape compositions. Plant as a single specimen or in pairs at entries and gateways.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full to part sun. Soil should be well-drained. Acidic soil is preferred, though it can tolerate a wide variety of soils. They are not drought-tolerant, so proper watering is a must. Will not tolerate standing water.
- **Growth:** Moderate growing; reaches 15' tall, 15' wide or more with age.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-8; Tree
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Serrate, dark green leaves (to 5" long) are elliptic to oval. Foliage turns yellow and with bronze tints in fall.
- **Flower:** Fragrant white (sometimes tinged pink) flowers in 3 to 6-flowered clusters (racemes) appear before or simultaneous to the emergence of the foliage in a profuse and spectacular early spring bloom. Flowers are followed by small black cherries (1/2" diameter) which are bitter to humans but loved by birds.

The Rootstock: The bottom trunk is from a standard, straight-growing cherry tree that is cut at a specific height (typically around 4 to 6 feet).

The Scion: The weeping branches of *Prunus x yedoensis* 'Pendula' are then physically grafted onto the top of that straight trunk.

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