

# Anna's Magic Ball®

## *Arborvitae Thuja occidentalis*

A playful bounce of color for your landscape.

Anna's Magic Ball arborvitae is a cute little sphere of cheerful yellow foliage. It was developed in Canada, so you know that this little plant isn't bothered by winter weather and holds its color all year-round. This nifty little native evergreen needs no pruning to keep its tight, rounded shape and makes a nice addition to perennial beds, rock gardens, troughs and containers, or any landscape project. It's petite size and well-behaved manner makes it an especially nice choice for smaller yards and gardens.

Top reasons to grow Anna's Magic Ball arborvitae:

- Dwarf evergreen needs no pruning
- Bright yellow foliage adds year-round color to the landscape
- Native to North America and shade tolerant

Fall Interest; Winter Interest; Small or Miniature

### CHARACTERISTICS

**Plant Type:** Shrub

**Shrub Type:** Evergreen

**Height Category:** Short

**Garden Height:** 24 - 36 Inches

**Spacing:** 36 - 48 Inches

**Spread:** 36 - 48 Inches

**Foliage Colors:** Green, Yellow

**Foliage Shade:** Yellow

**Habit:** Mounded

**Container Role:** Thriller

### PLANT NEEDS

**Light Requirement:** Part Sun to Sun; Sun

The optimum amount of sun or shade each plant needs to thrive: Full Sun (6+ hours), Part Sun (4-6 hours), Full Shade (up to 4 hours).

**Maintenance Category:** Easy

**Bloom Time:** Grown for Foliage

**Hardiness Zones:** 3a, 3b, 4a, 4b, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b

**Water Category:** Average

**Uses:** Container; Landscape

**Uses Notes:** Landscapes, containers

**Maintenance Notes:** Prefers deep, well-drained soils. Little pruning is needed, but may be trimmed in early summer.

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