

Flowers in the Great Smoky Mountains

There are 1,600 species of flowering plants in the Great Smoky Mountains. The list provided is just a small sample of the many varieties.

March

Blood Root
Columbine
Dutchman's Breeches
Hepatica
Jack-in-the-Pulpit
Pepperroot
Red Maple
Spice Bush
Spring Beauty
Squirrel Corn
Trout Lily
Violets
Wild Plum
Wind Flower
Yellow-Root

April

Black Haw
Bleeding Heart
Blue Sage
Bluets
Columbine
Dogwood
Dutchman's Breeches
Fire Pink
Fringed Phacelia
Golden Ragwort
Indian Paintbrush
Ironwood

Jack-in-the-Pulpit
Magnolia
Meadow Rue
Phlox
Redbud
Serviceberry
Silverbell
Solomon's Seal
Spring Beauty
Squirrel Corn
Trailing Arbutus
Trilliums
Trout Lily
Violets
Virginia Bluebell
Wild Geranium
Wild Mustard
Wood Sorrel

May

Bleeding Heart
Bluets
Calycanthus
Columbine
Cucumber Tree
Flame Azalea
Hobble Bush
Indian Paintbrush
Magnolia
Mountain Laurel
Painted Trillium

Serviceberry
Silverbell
Solomon's Seal
White Azalea
Wild Crab
Wild Geranium
Wild Iris
Wild Orchids

June

Allegheny Myrtle
Beard Tongue
Black Snakeroot
Butterfly Weed
Catawba Rhododendron
Common Elder
Field Daisy
Flame Azalea
Galax
Goats Rue
Hydrangea
Magnolia
Mountain Laurel
Mt. Oxalis
Mt. Stewartis
New Jersey Tea
Spiderwort
Yellow Ragwort

July

Bergamot
Black-eyed Susan
Coreopsis
Dutchman's Pipe Vine
Flowering Raspberry
Hercules Club
Indian Pipe
Jewel-weed
Mountain Stewartia
Partridge Berry

Passion Flower
Phlox
Purple-fringed Orchid
Queen Anne's Lace
Rhododendron
Sourwood
Star Grass
Trumpet Creeper
Wild Lilies

August

Bee Balm
Betony
Cardinal Lobelia
Clematis
Evening Primrose
Goldenrod
Hercules Club
Jewel Weed
Joe Pye Weed
Meadow Beauty
Monkshood
Mountain Mints
St. Johns Wort
Turtlehead
Wild Aster
Yellow-fringed Orchid

September

Aster
Blue Gentians
Bonset
Fleabane
Gerardia
Golden Aster
Ironweed
Lobelias
Sunflowers
Yarrow

Fall Foliage: October-November

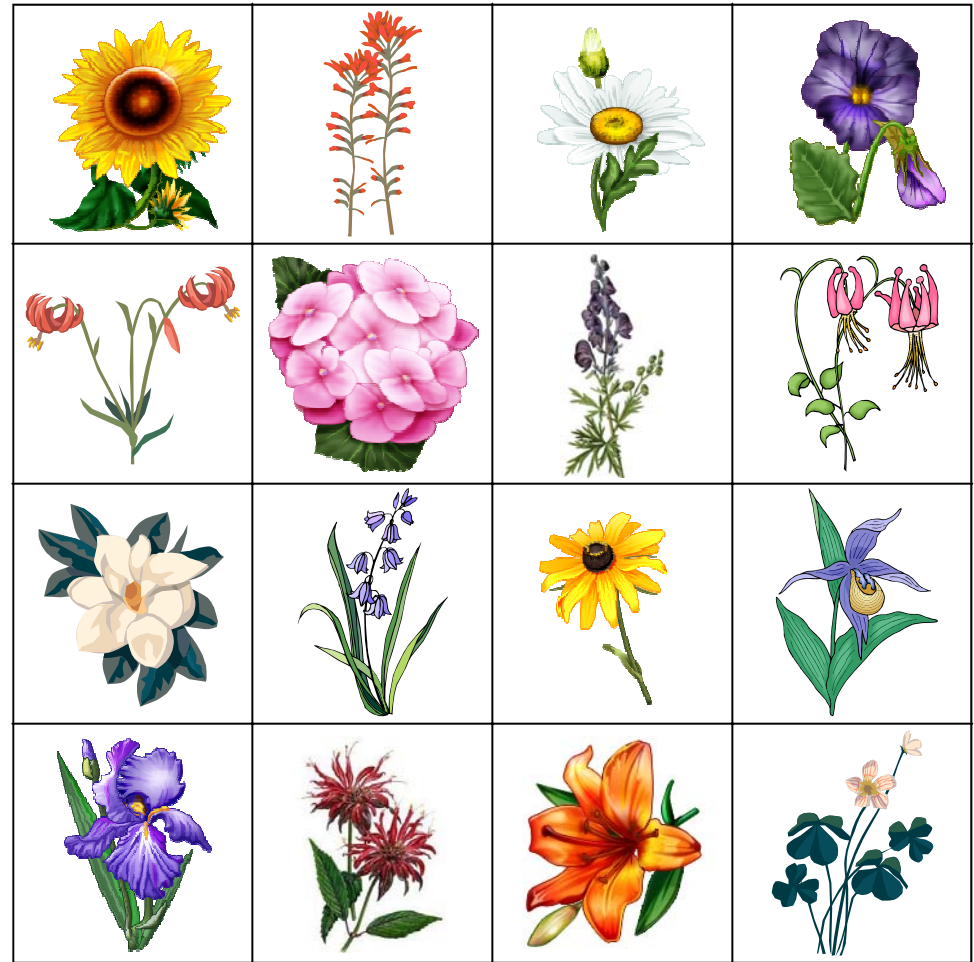
Over 100 tree species are native to the Great Smoky Mountains. During the month of October the leaves of the hardwood trees turn beautiful reds, oranges and yellows. Because of the many environmental factors involved in the color change, it is impossible to predict the exact dates of peak foliage. However, the most brilliant display of color usually occurs between mid-October and early November.



Bloom calendar compiled by the Tennessee Department of Conservation

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