





California Native Garden

Congratulations! You are about to embark upon a fun, rewarding and ultimately important journey. The conversion of your lawn to a sustainable native garden. You are now part of a growing community of homeowners and garden-lovers returning a sense of place to the front and backyards of urban and suburban Southern California. Welcome home.

ADDING PERSONALITY TO YOUR GARDEN:

As Your Garden Grows...you will want to add personality and your own creative touch to your garden. Don't be afraid to experiment with containers, birdbaths, sculpture and other features to add your own unique touch to your garden. While the elements below are not included in your kit, they are all readily available throughout Southern California and beyond.







OUTDOOR ART, STATUARY FOUNTAINS

Partner With Nature! Installing rain barrels or creating a swale in your garden stores rainwater for your native plants to use. Consider incorporating these elements of sustainability into your new







Decorative Rain Barrel

shades of tan, gray, taupe







De La Mina Lilac verbena

Salvia chamaedryoides

Electric Blue Sage

Leymus condensatus 'Canyon Prince' Canyon Prince Wild Rye

Carex pansa

Dune Sedge

Coastal Garden - Aliso Viejo

Full Sun/Part Shade in Sunset Zones 22, 24
This garden is designed to complement the natural features of coastal Southern California. It will be completely drought tolerant and self-sustaining once established. Local species as well as native plant varieties from coastal environments have been selected. Permeable hardscape surfaces and contouring the land allows rainwater to replenish the soil. This

garden is diverse! It will come to life with different plant species and seasonal flowers, all of which will attract birds, butterflies, hummingbirds and beneficial pollinators.

Your new Coastal Garden will offer many possibilities for future fine tuning as you add more details and personality into the design. There are dozens of wonderful plants that can be used in this basic coastal design and we encourage you to include more variety as your garden matures.



