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Dwarf Shrubs

Small Shrubs

					
Marie Daly	Souvenir de St. Anne	The Fairy	Caldwell Pink	Cecile Brunner	Perle d'Or
Polyantha 3' H x 3' W fragrant good for containers	Bourbon 3' H x 3' W outstanding fragrance not suited for far South Texas	Polyantha 3' H x 4' W abundance of small blooms low, spreading habit	'found' rose 4' H x 4' W lilac-pink tolerant of clay soil	Polyantha 4' H x 3' W fragrant easy to grow aka 'Sweetheart Rose'	Polyantha 4' H x 4' W apricot to buff pink very fragrant landscape or container tolerates clay soil, heat

Medium Shrubs

					
Belinda's Dream	Carefree Beauty	Ducher	Duchesse de Brabant	Else Poulsen	Georgetown Tea
shrub rose 5' H x 5' W large double blooms	shrub rose 5' H x 5' W large orange hips	China 6' H x 4' W fruity fragrance	Tea 6' H x 4' W very fragrant use as specimen	Floribunda 5' H x 5' W upright flowers background planting	Tea 6' H x 6' W fragrant mass or specimen

Medium Shrubs			Mannerly Climbers		
					
Knock Out	La Marne	Mme Antoine Mari	Mutabilis	Spice	Climbing Pinkie
shrub rose 6' H x 6' W cherry red bloom almost no maintenance massed or as specimen	Polyantha 5' H x 4' W pink/white blooms upright, good as hedge or in in borders	Tea 6' H x 6' W fragrant in clusters or as specimen	China 6' H x 6' W yellow to pink easy to grow can prune to tree form	China 5' H x 4' W peppery fragrance easy to grow flowers good for cutting	Polyantha 10' H x 7' W blooms mostly in spring few thorns good for trellis
Mannerly Climbers	Vigorous Climbers		<p style="text-align: center;">Rose Tips</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Plant where roses will get at least 8 hours of sun. ◆ Space well for good air movement. ◆ Plant in well-aerated soil with good drainage and water-holding characteristics ◆ Amend soil with compost and mulch with 3" of organic mulch; add mulch to maintain 3" depth. ◆ Do not water overhead; apply water thoroughly to root zone when soil is dry to depth of 1". ◆ Prune to remove dead, broken, or diseased canes. ◆ If you compost and mulch, fertilizers should not be needed. <p>More info: http://aggie-horticulture.tamu.edu/earthkind/roses/ Questions? Call the Master Gardener Desk, 854-9600</p>		
					
Sea Foam	New Dawn	Reve d'Or			
shrub rose 8' H x 4' W train on trellis or pillar can also be used as weeping standard	large-flowered climber 15-20' H x 10' W blooms mostly in spring needs strong support tolerates some shade	Noisette 10-18' H x 8' W buff yellow strong tea fragrance cover arch or pergola			

Information Source: Texas A & M University Horticulture web site

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