

Plants Used by Carnaby's Black Cockatoo

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Species	Used for			Priority for planting for Carnaby's	Growth form	Flower colour	Soil type				Soil drainage				Origin
	Feeding	Nesting	Roosting				Clayey	Gravelly	Loamy	Sandy	Well drained	Poorly drained	Waterlogged	Salt affected	
<i>Acacia baileyana</i> (Cootamundra wattle)*				Low	Tree	Yellow					○	■			Australian native
<i>Acacia pentadenia</i> (Karri Wattle)				Low	Tree	Cream					○	■	■		WA native
<i>Acacia saligna</i> (Orange Wattle)				Low	Tree	Yellow					○	■			WA native
<i>Agonis flexuosa</i> (Peppermint Tree)				Low	Tree	White					○	■	■		WA native
<i>Araucaria heterophylla</i> (Norfolk Island Pine)				Low	Tree	Green					○	■	■		Exotic to Australia
<i>Banksia ashbyi</i> (Ashby's Banksia)				Medium	Tree or Tall shrub	Yellow, Orange					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia attenuata</i> (Slender Banksia)				High	Tree	Yellow					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia baxteri</i> (Baxter's Banksia)				Medium	Tall shrub	Yellow					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia carlinoides</i> (Pink Dryandra)				Medium	Medium or small shrub	White, cream, pink					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia coccinea</i> (Scarlet Banksia)				Medium	Tree	Red					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia dallanneyi</i> (Couch Honeypot Dryandra)				Low	Medium or small shrub	Orange, brown					○				WA native
<i>Banksia ericifolia</i> (Heath-leaved Banksia)				Medium	Tall shrub	Orange					○				Australian native
<i>Banksia fraseri</i> (Dryandra)				Medium	Medium or small shrub	Orange					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia gardneri</i> (Prostrate Banksia)				Low	Medium or small shrub	Orange					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia grandis</i> (Bull Banksia)				High	Tree	Yellow					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia hookeriana</i> (Hooker's Banksia)				Medium	Tall shrub	Orange					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia ilicifolia</i> (Holly Banksia)				High	Tree	Cream					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia kippistiana</i> (Dryandra)				Medium	Medium or small shrub	Yellow					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia leptophylla</i>				Low	Medium or small shrub	Yellow					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia littoralis</i> (Swamp Banksia)				High	Tree	Yellow					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia menziesii</i> (Firewood or Menzie's Banksia)				High	Tree	Yellow, pink, red					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia mucronulata</i> (Swordfish Dryandra)				Medium	Medium or small shrub	Yellow					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia nivea</i> (Honeypot Dryandra)				High	Medium or small shrub	Orange					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia nobilis</i> (Golden Dryandra)				Medium	Tall shrub	Orange					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia praemorsa</i> (Cut-leaf Banksia)				Medium	Tall shrub	Red, yellow, green					○	■			WA native
<i>Banksia prionotes</i> (Acorn Banksia)				High	Tree	Orange					○				WA native

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Banksia quercifolia (Oak-leaved Banksia)				Medium	Tall shrub	Brown					O					WA native
Banksia sessilis (Parrot Bush)				High	Tree	Cream					O					WA native
Banksia speciosa (Showy Banksia)				High	Tree	Yellow					O					WA native
Banksia squarrosa (Pingle)				High	Tall shrub	Yellow					O					WA native
Banksia tricuspis (Lesueur Banksia or Pine Banksia)				Medium	Tree	Orange					O					WA native
Banksia undata (Urchin or Cut-leaf Dryandra)				High	Tall shrub	Yellow					O					WA native
Banksia verticillata (Granite Banksia)				Low	Tree	Yellow					O					WA native
Brassica campestris (Canola, Rape)**				Low	Herb	Yellow					O					Exotic to Australia
Callistemon viminalis (Captain Cook Bottlebrush)				Medium	Tall shrub	Red					O					Australian native
Callitris sp.				Medium	Tree						O					WA native
Carya illinoiensis (Pecan)				Low	Tree	Yellow					O					Exotic to Australia
Casuarina cunninghamiana (River Sheoak)*				Low	Tree	Red					O					Australian native
Citrullus lanatus (Pie or Afghan Melon)*				Low	Scrambler, climber or percher	Yellow					O					Exotic to Australia
Corymbia calophylla (Marri)				High	Tree	Cream					O					WA native
Corymbia ficifolia (Red Flowering Gum)				Medium	Tree	Red					O					WA native
Corymbia haematoxylon (Mountain Marri)				Medium	Tree	White					O					WA native
Corymbia maculata (Spotted Gum)				Low	Tree	White					O					Australian native
Darwinia citriodora (Lemon-scented Darwinia)				Low	Medium or small shrub	Red, orange, yellow					O					WA native
Diospyros sp. (Sweet Persimmon)				Low	Tree						O					Exotic to Australia
Eremophila glabra (Turbush)				Low	Tall shrub	Various					O					WA native
Erodium aureum (Corkscrew Grass or Storksbill)*				Low	Herb	Pink					O					Exotic to Australia
Erodium botrys (Corkscrew Grass or Storksbill)*				Low	Herb	Purple					O					Exotic to Australia
Eucalyptus caesia (Silver Princess)				Medium	Tree	Pink					O					WA native
Eucalyptus camaldulensis (River Red Gum)				Low	Tree	Cream, yellow					O					Australian native
Eucalyptus citriodora (Lemon Scented Gum)				Medium	Tree	Red					O					Australian native
Eucalyptus diversicolor (Karri)				Low	Tree	Cream					O					WA native
Eucalyptus globulus (Tasmanian Blue Gum)				Low	Tree	White					O					Australian native
Eucalyptus gomphocephala (Tuart)				High	Tree	White					O					WA native
Eucalyptus grandis (Flooded Gum, Rose Gum)				Low	Tree	White, cream					O					Australian native
Eucalyptus longicornis (Red Morrell)				Low	Tree	White					O					WA native
Eucalyptus loxophleba (York Gum)				Low	Tree	White					O					WA native
Eucalyptus marginata (Jarrah)				Medium	Tree	White					O					WA native
Eucalyptus occidentalis (Swamp Yate)				Low	Tree	Cream					O					WA native
Eucalyptus patens (Blackbutt)				Medium	Tree	White					O					WA native
Eucalyptus pleurocarpa (Tallerack)				Medium	Tree	White					O					WA native

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<i>Eucalyptus preissiana</i> (Bell-fruited Mallee)	Medium	Tree	Yellow	○										WA native
<i>Eucalyptus robusta</i> (Swamp Mahogany)	Medium	Tree	White											Australian native
<i>Eucalyptus rudis</i> (Flooded Gum)	Low	Tree	White											WA native
<i>Eucalyptus salmonophloia</i> (Salmon Gum)	High	Tree	White											WA native
<i>Eucalyptus salubris</i> (Gimlet)	Medium	Tree	White, cream											WA native
<i>Eucalyptus todtsiana</i> (Coastal Blackbutt or Prickley Bark)	Medium	Tree	White											WA native
<i>Eucalyptus wandoo</i> (Wandoo)	High	Tree	White											WA native
<i>Ficus</i> sp. (Fig)	Low	Tree									○	■	■	Australian native
<i>Grevillea armigera</i> (Prickly Toothbrushes)	Medium	Tall shrub	Green, yellow, black								○	■		WA native
<i>Grevillea bipinnatifida</i> (Fuchsia Grevillea)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	Red								○	■		WA native
<i>Grevillea hookeriana</i> (Red Toothbrushes)	Medium	Tall shrub	Red								○			WA native
<i>Grevillea hookeriana</i> subsp. <i>apiciloba</i> (Black Toothbrushes)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	Black								○			WA native
<i>Grevillea paniculata</i> (Kerosene Bush)	Medium	Tall shrub	White								○	■		WA native
<i>Grevillea paradoxa</i> (Bottlebrush Grevillea)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	Cream, pink								○			WA native
<i>Grevillea petrophiloides</i> (Pink Poker)	Medium	Tall shrub	Pink								○			WA native
<i>Grevillea robusta</i> (Silky Oak)	Medium	Tree	Orange								○			Australian native
<i>Hakea auriculata</i>	Medium	Tall shrub	White								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea candolleana</i>	Medium	Medium or small shrub	White								○			WA native
<i>Hakea circumalata</i> (Coastal Hakea)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	White, pink								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea commutata</i>	Medium	Medium or small shrub									○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea conchifolia</i>	Medium	Medium or small shrub	White, cream, pink								○			WA native
<i>Hakea costata</i> (Ribbed Hakea)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	White								○			WA native
<i>Hakea cristata</i> (Snail Hakea)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	White								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea cucullata</i> (Snail Hakea)	Medium	Tall shrub	Pink								○			WA native
<i>Hakea cyclocarpa</i> (Ramshorn)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	White								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea eneabba</i>	Medium	Medium or small shrub	Yellow								○			WA native
<i>Hakea erinacea</i> (Hedgehog Hakea)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	Cream								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea falcata</i> (Sickle Hakea)	Medium	Tall shrub	White								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea flabellifolia</i> (Fan-leaved Hakea)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	Brown								○			WA native
<i>Hakea gilbertii</i>	Medium	Medium or small shrub	White								○			WA native
<i>Hakea incrassata</i> (Golfball or Marble Hakea)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	Cream								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea lasiantha</i> (Woolly Flowered Hakea)	Medium	Tall shrub	White								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea lasianthoides</i>	Medium	Tall shrub	White								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea laurina</i> (Pin-cushion hakea)	Medium	Tree	Red								○	■		WA native
<i>Hakea lissocarpha</i> (Honeybush)	Medium	Medium or small shrub	White								○	■		WA native

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Hakea megalosperma (Lesueur Hakea)				Medium	Medium or small shrub	White, cream, pink, red					○				WA native
Hakea multilineata (Grass Leaf Hakea)				Medium	Tall shrub	Pink					○	■			WA native
Hakea obliqua (Needles and Corks)				Medium	Tall shrub	White					○				WA native
Hakea oleifolia (Dungyn or Olive-leaved Hakea)				Medium	Tree	White					○				WA native
Hakea pandanicarpa subsp. <i>crassifolia</i> (Thick-leaved Hakea)				Medium	Tall shrub	Cream					○	■			WA native
Hakea polyanthema				Medium	Medium or small shrub	White					○				WA native
Hakea petiolaris (Sea Urchin Hakea)				Medium	Tall to medium shrub	Cream, pink					○	■			WA native
Hakea preissii (Needle Tree)				Medium	Tall shrub	Yellow					○				WA native
Hakea prostrata (Harsh Hakea)				High	Tall to medium shrub	White					○				WA native
Hakea psilorrhyncha				Medium	Tall shrub	Cream					○				WA native
Hakea ruscifolia (Candle Hakea)				Medium	Tall shrub	White					○	■			WA native
Hakea scoparia (Kangaroo Bush)				Medium	Tall shrub	Cream					○	■			WA native
Hakea smilacifolia				Medium	Medium or small shrub	White					○				WA native
Hakea spathulata				Medium	Medium or small shrub	Red					○				WA native
Hakea stenocarpa (Narrow-fruited Hakea)				Medium	Medium or small shrub	White					○	■			WA native
Hakea sulcata (Furrowed Hakea)				Medium	Medium or small shrub	White					○	■			WA native
Hakea trifurcata (Two-leaved Hakea)				High	Tall shrub	White					○	■			WA native
Hakea undulata (Wavy-leaved Hakea)				High	Tall shrub	White					○	■			WA native
Hakea varia (Variable-leaved Hakea)				Medium	Tall shrub	White					○	■			WA native
Helianthus annuus (Sunflower)*				Low	Herb	Yellow					○				Exotic to Australia
Hibiscus sp. (Hibiscus)				Low	Tall shrub	Various					○	■			Exotic to Australia
Isopogon scabriusculus				Medium	Medium or small shrub	Pink					○				WA native
Jacaranda mimosifolia (Jacaranda)				Low	Tree	Blue, purple					○	■			Exotic to Australia
Jacksonia furcellata (Grey Stinkwood)				Medium	Tall shrub	Orange					○	■			WA native
Lambertia inermis (Chittick)				Medium	Tree	Red, orange, yellow					○	■			WA native
Lambertia multiflora (Many-flowered Honeysuckle)				Medium	Medium or small shrub	Orange, yellow					○				WA native
Liquidamber styraciflua (Liquid Amber)				Medium	Tree	Green					○	■			Exotic to Australia
Lupinus sp. (Lupin)*				Low	Herb	Yellow, blue					○				Exotic to Australia
Macadamia integrifolia (Macadamia)				Medium	Tree	White					○				Australian native
Malus domestica (Apple)				Low	Tree	White					○				Exotic to Australia
Melaleuca leuropoma				Medium	Medium or small shrub	Cream, purple, yellow					○				WA native
Melia azedarach (Cape Lilac or White Cedar)**				Low	Tree	Purple					○	■			Exotic to Australia
Mesomeleana sp.				Medium	Grassy or strappy						○				WA native
Protea repens				Medium	Tree or medium to small shrub	White, cream, pink					○	■			Exotic to Australia
Protea 'Pink Ice'				Medium	Tree or medium to small shrub	White, cream, pink					○	■			Exotic to Australia

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<i>Pinus canariensis</i> (Canary Island Pine)	Low	Tree		Brown							○				Exotic to Australia
<i>Pinus caribea</i> (Caribbean Pine)	Low	Tree		Brown							○				Exotic to Australia
<i>Pinus pinaster</i> (Pinaster or Maritime Pine)**	Medium	Tree		Brown							○				Exotic to Australia
<i>Pinus radiata</i> (Radiata Pine)**	Medium	Tree		Brown							○				Exotic to Australia
<i>Prunus amygdalus</i> (Almond Tree)	Medium	Tree									○				Exotic to Australia
<i>Raphanus raphanistrum</i> (Wild Radish)*	Low	Herb		Various							○				Exotic to Australia
<i>Tipuana tipu</i> (Tipu or Rosewood Tree)**	Low	Tree		Yellow							○				Exotic to Australia
<i>Xanthorrhoea preissii</i> (Grass Tree)	Medium	Grassy or strappy		Cream							○				WA native

* Weed

** Potential weed