

# Syringa pekinensis

## Peking Tree Lilac



### PLANT DESCRIPTION

Plant Type:	Deciduous Tree
Height / Width:	20-30 ft. H x 15-25 ft. W
Plant Form:	Multi-stemmed, upright, arching, loose and open
Flower / Fruit:	Yellowish-white flowers on 3-6" panicles
Leaf Color, Size:	Opposite, simple dark green leaves 2-4" long
Native To:	Mongolia and Northern China

### GROWING REQUIREMENTS

Sunset Zones:	1-12, 14-16
Soil:	Rich, moist, neutral, well-drained
Water:	Regular, drought tolerant
Sun:	Full sun, light shade in hottest climates
Care and Pruning:	Prompt removal of faded flower panicles before seed set will increase bloom in the following year. Prune immediately after flowering.

### GARDEN USE

Excellent fresh cut flower. Effective as a specimen or massed or may be grown as a privacy screen or hedge. Good for shrub borders.