

# Bird foot sedge

*Carex ornithopoda*

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This description is for *Bird foot sedge (Carex ornithopoda)*:

**Carex ornithopoda sounds more like a hand cream than a plant and can also be grown in a pot.**

This fantastic little species of grass is ideal for gardens and can be planted in both sunny and partially shaded areas. *Carex ornithopoda* comes in a range of varieties, including some with soft green foliage outlined in white. *Carex* is ideal to use at the front of borders, for sprucing up pots, or even to add some colour and texture to a rockery. It doesn't require a lot of maintenance, just remove dead leaves during summer months.



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Plant	Environment	Usage
<b>Known dangers?</b> no	<b>Acidity</b> Acidic Neutral Alkaline	<b>Standard category</b> Grasses, ferns & bamboo Grasses
<b>Height [m]</b> 0.05 - 0.15	<b>Hardiness zone</b> Z4-8	<b>Grown for</b> Ornamental Foliage
<b>Spread [m]</b> 0.05 - 0.15	<b>Heat zone</b> H8-1	<b>Creative category</b> Kid Approved For Beginners For every season

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<b>Dominant flower colour</b> Brown	<b>Winter temperatures [°C]</b> -34 - -7	<b>Garden type</b> Cottage garden Containers City
<b>Flower Fragrance</b> No, neutral please	<b>Heat days</b> 0 - 120	<b>Garden spaces</b> Flower beds Borders
<b>Flowering seasons</b> Late spring	<b>Moisture</b> well-drained but frequently watered	<b>Gardening expertise</b> beginner
<b>Foliage in spring</b> Green	<b>Soil type</b> sandy chalky loams	<b>Time to reach full size</b> 2 to 5 years
<b>Foliage in summer</b> Green	<b>Sun requirements</b> Full sun Partial shade	
<b>Foliage in Autumn</b> Green	<b>Exposure</b> Exposed Sheltered	
<b>Foliage in winter</b> Green		
<b>Propagation methods</b> seed division		
<b>Growth habit</b> Clump-forming Dense		