

Pine-leaved penstemon 'Mersea Yellow'

Penstemon pinifolius 'Mersea Yellow' Also known as: **pine needle beardtongue 'Mersea Yellow', pine needle penstemon 'Mersea Yellow'**

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This description is for species *Pine-leaved penstemon* (*Penstemon pinifolius*):

The pine-leaved penstemon or *Penstemon pinifolius* has foliage that resembles needles in appearance, with exquisite trumpet-shaped flowers that are bright red. The pine-leaved penstemon thrives in full sunlight and is best suited to loamy, chalky and sandy soils that provide good drainage. This is an ideal plant choice for low-maintenance garden designs. It is an attractive option for flower beds and borders and looks just as lovely in city gardens as it does in wildlife gardens. The pine-leaved penstemon is also a cheerful splash of colour for cottage gardens and rock gardens.



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Plant	Environment	Usage
Known dangers? no	Acidity Acidic Neutral Alkaline	Standard category Trees & shrubs Shrubs
Height [m] 0.2	Hardiness zone Z4-10	Grown for Attractive Flowers
Spread [m] 0.25	Heat zone H10-1	Creative category Kid Approved For Beginners Colours Show-offs Roses & classics For every season Tough survivors

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Dominant flower colour Yellow	Winter temperatures [°C] -34 - 4	Garden type Cottage garden Rock garden
Flower Fragrance No, neutral please	Heat days 0 - 180	Garden spaces Flower beds Edging
Flowering seasons Early summer Mid summer Late summer Early autumn Mid autumn Late autumn	Moisture well-drained	Gardening expertise beginner
Foliage in spring Green	Soil type sandy chalky loams	Time to reach full size 2 to 5 years
Foliage in summer Green	Sun requirements Full sun	
Foliage in Autumn Green	Exposure Exposed Sheltered	
Foliage in winter Green		
Propagation methods semi-ripe cuttings softwood cuttings seed division		
Growth habit Bushy Upright		