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Wood Spurge 'Craigieburn'

Euphorbia amygdaloides 'Craigieburn'

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This description is for species **Wood Spurge** (*Euphorbia amygdaloides*):

Wood Spurge, or to give it its Latin name, *Euphorbia amygdaloides*, is a delightful plant and one that will certainly be a talking point in the garden. It has spoon shaped leaves that are dark green with deep red coloured stems. During the spring and summer it bears yellow green flowers. Extremely hardy, it thrives in virtually any location. However, the plant is highly toxic if ingested, so take care not to plant if children play in the garden.



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Plant	Environment	Usage
Known dangers? yes	Acidity Acidic Neutral Alkaline	Standard category Flowers & bulbs Perennials
Dangers: comments Avoid eating this plant, or you may have severe stomach upset. Its sap may irritate your skin.	Hardiness zone Z5-8	Grown for Ornamental Foliage
Height [m] 0.3 - 0.45	Heat zone H8-5	Creative category For Beginners We love the dark For every season
Spread [m] 0.45	Winter temperatures [°C] -29 - -7	Garden type Woodland Cottage garden Rock garden City Gravel garden

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Dominant flower colour Green	Heat days 30 - 120	Garden spaces Flower beds Underplanting Shade Ground cover Borders
Flower Fragrance No, neutral please	Moisture well-drained well-drained but frequently watered	Gardening expertise beginner
Flowering seasons Early spring Mid spring Late spring	Soil type sandy chalky loams	Time to reach full size 2 to 5 years
Foliage in spring Pink or purple	Sun requirements Full sun Partial shade Full shade	
Foliage in summer Pink or purple	Exposure Exposed Sheltered	
Foliage in Autumn Pink or purple		
Foliage in winter Pink or purple		
Propagation methods seed basal cuttings division		
Growth habit Bushy Spreading Upright		