4-H, FFA, and Open Youth/Adult Plant List

GRASSES

101	Alkali sacaton	*Sporobolus airoides*	PNWD
102	blue grama	*Bouteloua gracilis*	PNWI
103	**bluebunch wheatgrass**	***Pseudoroegneria spicata***	**PNCD**
104	bottlebrush squirreltail	*Elymus elymoides*	PNCI
105	**cheatgrass**	***Bromus tectorum***	**AICV**
106	crested wheatgrass	*Agropyron cristatum*	PICV
107	foxtail barley	*Hordeum jubatum*	PNCI
108	green needlegrass	*Nassella viridula*	PNCD
109	Indian ricegrass	*Achnatherum hymenoides*	PNCD
110	inland saltgrass	*Distichlis spicata*	PNWI
111	Japanese brome	*Bromus japonicus*	AICV
112	Kentucky bluegrass	*Poa pratensis*	PICV
113	little bluestem	*Schizachyrium scoparium*	PNWD
114	**needle-and-thread**	***Hesperostipa comata***	**PNCI**
115	plains muhly	*Muhlenbergia cuspidata*	PNWD
116	plains reedgrass	*Calamagrostis montanensis*	PNCI
117	**prairie junegrass**	***Koeleria macrantha***	**PNCI**
118	prairie sandreed	*Calamovilfa longifolia*	PNWD
119	red threeawn	*Aristida purpurea*	PNWI
120	sand dropseed	*Sporobolus cryptandrus*	PNWI
121	**Sandberg bluegrass**	***Poa secunda***	**PNCI**
122	sixweeks fescue	*Vulpia octoflora*	ANCV
123	smooth brome	*Bromus inermis*	PICV
124	thickspike wheatgrass	*Elymus lanceolatus*	PNCI
125	tumblegrass	*Schedonnardus paniculatus*	PNWI
126	**western wheatgrass**	***Pascopyrum smithii***	**PNCI**

GRASSLIKES

127	needleleaf sedge	*Carex duriuscula*	PNCI
128	**threadleaf sedge**	***Carex filifolia***	**PNCI**

FORBS

129	alyssum	*Alyssum spp.*	AICV
130	American licorice	*Glycyrrhiza lepidota*	PNWI
131	**American vetch**	***Vicia americana***	**PNCD**
132	bastard toadflax	*Commandra umbellata*	PNCI
133	blanketflower	*Gaillardia aristata*	PNWI
134	blue flax	*Linum lewisii*	PNCI
135	breadroot scurfpea	*Pediomelum esculentum*	PNCD
136	buckwheat	*Eriogonum spp.*	PNWI
137	**Canada thistle**	***Cirsium arvense***	**PICV N**
138	**cudweed sagewort**	***Artemisia ludoviciana***	**PNWI**
139	curlycup gumweed	*Grindelia squarrosa*	BNWV
140	dandelion (common)	*Taraxacum officinale*	PICV
141	dense clubmoss	*Selaginella densa*	PNXI
142	dotted gayfeather	*Liatris punctata*	PNWD
143	evening primrose	*Oenothera albicaulis*	ANCV
144	field bindweed	*Convolvulus arvensis*	PIWV N
145	field chickweed	*Cerastium arvense*	PNCI
146	fleabane/daisy	*Erigeron* spp.	PNCI
147	green sagewort	*Artemisia dracunculus*	PNWI
148	groundplum milkvetch	*Astragalus crassicarpus*	PNCD
149	groundsel	*Senecio* spp.	PNCI
150	hairy goldenaster	*Heterotheca villosa*	PNWI
151	Hood's phlox	*Phlox hoodii*	PNCI
152	**houndstongue**	***Cynoglossum officinale***	**BICV N**
153	kochia	*Kochia scoparia*	AIWV
154	leafy spurge	*Euphorbia esula*	PICV N
155	**lupine**	***Lupinus* spp.**	**PNCI P**
156	meadow deathcamas	*Zigadenus venenosus*	PNCI P
157	milkvetch	*Astragalus spp.*	PNCI
158	Missouri goldenrod	*Solidago missouriensis*	PNWI
159	onion (prairie or meadow)	*Allium* spp.	PNCI
160	pasqueflower (crocus)	*Anemone patens*	PNCI
161	penstemon	*Penstemon* spp.	PNCI
162	prairie coneflower	*Ratibida columnifera*	PNWI
163	prairie thermopsis/sweet pea	*Thermopsis rhombifolia*	PNCI
164	purple prairieclover	*Dalea purpurea*	PNWD
165	pussytoes	*Antennaria spp.*	PNCI
166	rough pennyroyal	*Hedeoma hispida*	ANCV
167	**salsify**	***Tragopogon dubius***	**BICV**
168	scarlet gaura	*Gaura coccinea*	PNWI
169	scarlet globemallow	*Sphaeralcea coccinea*	PNCI
170	segolily mariposa	*Calochortus nuttallii*	PNCD
171	silverleaf scurfpea	*Pediomelum argophyllum*	PNWI
172	slimflower scurfpea	*Psoralidium tenuiflorum*	PNWI
173	spotted knapweed	*Centaurea maculosa*	PIWV N
174	wavyleaf thistle	*Cirsium undulatum*	BNWV
175	**western yarrow**	***Achillea millefolium***	**PNWI**
176	white milkwort	*Polygala alba*	PNCI
177	whitepoint loco	*Oxytropis sericea*	PNCI P
178	wild parsley	*Musineon divaricatum*	PNCI
179	woolly plantain	*Plantago patagonica*	ANCV
180	yellow sweetclover	*Melilotus offiicinalis*	BICV

CACTI

181	pincushion cactus	*Escobaria spp.*	PNCI
182	**plains pricklypear**	***Opuntia polyacantha***	**PNCI**

HALF-SHRUBS, SHRUBS, & TREES

183	**big sagebrush**	***Artemisia tridentata***	**PNWI**
184	broom snakeweed	*Gutierrezia sarothrae*	PNWI
185	chokecherry	*Prunus virginiana*	PNCD P
186	creeping juniper	*Juniperus horizontalis*	PNXI
187	**fringed sagewort**	***Artemisia frigida***	**PNWI**
188	greasewood	*Sarcobatus vermiculatus*	PNCI
189	Nuttall's saltbush	*Atriplex nuttallii*	PNWD
190	**ponderosa pine**	***Pinus ponderosa***	**PNXI P**
191	**Rocky Mountain juniper**	***Juniperus scopulorum***	**PNXI**
192	rubber rabbitbrush	*Ericameria nauseosa*	PNWI
193	Russian olive	*Elaeagnus angustifolia*	PICV
194	shadscale	*Atriplex confertifolia*	PNCI
195	silver sagebrush	*Artemisia cana*	PNWI
196	skunkbush sumac	*Rhus trilobata*	PNCI
197	soapweed/yucca	*Yucca glauca*	PNCI
198	western snowberry	*Symphoricarpos occidentalis*	PNCI
199	**wild rose**	***Rosa spp.***	**PNCI**
200	winterfat	*Krascheninnikovia lanata*	PNCD

KEY

Lifespan	Origin	Other
(A) Annual	(N) Native	(P) Poisonous
(B) Biennial	(I) Introduced	(N) Noxious
(P) Perennial		
Season	**Grazing Response**	**Bolded**
(W) Warm Season	(D) Decreaser	Key Plants*
(C) Cool Season	(I) Increaser	
(X) Inappropriate	(V) Invader	**Key plants do not change from year to year.*
	(X) Inappropriate	

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