

Town of Whitby Resources:

- [Who to Contact at the Town of Whitby about Trees](#)
- [The Crown and Root Structure of a Healthy Tree](#)
- [Ash Trees and the Emerald Ash Borer](#)
- [Boundary Trees](#)
- [Endangered Species, Species at Risk and Butternut Trees](#)
- [Migratory Birds Convention Act](#)
- [Tree Risk Assessment](#)
- [Tree Species Intolerant of Construction](#)
- [Impacts to Existing Trees on Public Property](#)
- [Protection Recommendations for Common Construction Related Impacts Causing Tree Injury](#)

Additional Resources:

International Society of Arboriculture <https://www.isa-arbor.com/>

Ontario Chapter of the ISA <https://isaontario.com/>

Ontario Professional Foresters Association opfa.ca

Trees Are Good TreesAreGood.org

A comprehensive educational website managed by the ISA whose mission is to increase awareness of the benefits of trees and to provide homeowners and other tree owners with access to resources to help sustain trees in an urban environment.

Examples of some resources available on TreesAreGood.org include:

- [Tree Owner Information](#)
- [Tree Health](#)
- [Pruning Trees](#)
- [Why Hire An Arborist](#)
- [Find an Arborist](#)
- [Verify a Credential](#)
- [Safe Response to Tree-Related Storm Damage](#)

For more information, contact

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- [Why Topping Hurts Trees](#)
- [Avoiding Tree Damage During Construction](#)
- [Treatment of Trees Damaged by Construction](#)
- [Recognizing Tree Risk](#)

Tree Atlas for Ontario

An interactive website with information about native trees in Ontario.

<https://www.ontario.ca/environment-and-energy/tree-atlas/ontario-southeast/>

Tree Canada <http://www.treecanada.ca/>

Tree Canada is a charitable organization with a mission to bolster Canada's urban forests and inspire people to participate in, and advocate for community greening. The Resources page includes links to a comprehensive source of tree-related publications, research and other information.

Ontario Nature <https://ontarionature.org/>

Ontario Nature is a charitable conservation organization that protects wild species and spaces through conservation, education and public engagement. Ontario Nature represents more than 30,000 members and supporters, and more than 150 member groups from across Ontario. It was originally established as the Federation of Ontario Naturalists in 1931, Ontario Nature has been a champion for nature in Ontario.

Ontario's Invading Species Awareness Program <http://www.invadingspecies.com/>

In 1992, the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters, in partnership with the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry, established the Invading Species Awareness Program in order to address the increasing threats posed by invasive species in Ontario. Their objectives are to generate education and awareness of aquatic and terrestrial invasive species, address key pathways contributing to introductions and/or spread, and facilitate monitoring and early detection initiatives for invasive species found within Ontario.

Their website includes fact sheets and best management practice information about how to control and manage invasive species, growing guides for native species, and information about forest pests and pathogens.

[Common Nursery and Landscape Pests of Ontario](#)

Look for the free **BugFinder** app on Google or the Apple App Store

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Ontario Ministry of Agriculture,
Food and Rural Affairs (OMAFRA)

[Nursery and Landscape Plants in Ontario](#)

Evergreen <https://www.evergreen.ca>

A Toronto-based organization with a mission to enable flourishing cities through sustainable practices. Informative publications are available on their website under Tools and Resources. An example is their guide to Invasive Plants:

https://www.evergreen.ca/downloads/pdfs/Invasive_Plants_Pocket_Guide.pdf



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