

Arbor Day Hawai'i

Meyer Lemon

Scientific Name: *Citrus x meyeri*

Origin: Exotic, Native to China



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Care Tips



Full Sun / Light shade



Moderate Growth



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White Flower



Well drained Soil



Height: 10-12 ft



Edible

Width: 8-10 ft



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This popular hybrid

lemon tree bears large, juicy fruit sweeter than typical lemons, has a thinner skin and is borne throughout the year. This citrus tree is slightly thorny. It can be pruned to a small size and can provide light shade in a small yard. Plant in an area with well-drained soil that receives at least six hours of sunlight. Wait a year before fertilizing to allow for sufficient root growth. Newly planted citrus trees can take two to four years before producing fruit. As the tree matures, the amount of lemons will increase.

*This may be the most popular tree at Hawaii's Arbor Day!
Meyer Lemon is a cross between a citron and a mandarin
distinct from the common or bitter lemon.*

Register Your Tree

O'ahu is trying to set a record by planting 100,000 trees by 2025! Your new tree can help - all you need to do is register your tree here:

<https://bit.ly/100ktreeoahu>



Your tree has the best chance of survival if it is planted within the first week of bringing it home! Share your planted tree by using hashtag #ArborDayHawaii



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