



Learn More About American Elm (Princeton)!

Scientific Name: *Ulmus americana* 'Princeton'

MATURE SIZE: Height 50–75 ft Width 30–50 ft

The Princeton elm exhibits good resistance to Dutch elm disease (DED) and demonstrates resistance to elm beetles as well. This large, fast-growing tree is tolerant of many adverse site conditions.

This plant is a cultivar of a species that is native to the Chicago region.

Cultivars are plants produced in cultivation by selective breeding or via vegetative propagation from wild plants identified to have desirable traits. Generally, elms prefer sun. They adapt easily to extremes in soil pH and moisture, and are heat and wind tolerant. Pruning should be done in the dormant season.



HIGHLIGHTS

- Dutch elm disease resistant native species
- Historically popular urban landscape tree
- Highly adaptable.
- Wind-tolerant and flood supportive