

Botany for Gardeners Required & Recommended Texts

Required –*The Visual Dictionary of Plants*. 1992. (Project Editor - Mary Lindsay). New York: Dorling Kindersley, Inc. May be purchased on Amazon [here](#).

Recommended - The following is a good, solid reference book that explains many of the botanical concepts being taught in this course – but I would recommend it be a source of information when the lectures or other recommended books come up short.

Capon, Brian, *Botany for Gardeners*. 2010 (3rd Edition). Oregon: Timber Press. This may be purchased on [Amazon](#) and other booksellers.

Terminology is fundamental to understanding plants and how they are structured, grow, and “behave” in gardens.

Harris, James G., and Harris, Melinda Woolf, *Plant Identification Terminology: An Illustrated Glossary*. 2001. Utah: Spring Lake Publishing. Also available on [Amazon](#) and other booksellers.