

## Priority List for Seed Collection

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Agarita	<i>Mahonia trifoliolata</i>	May-June	Ripe fruits are filled out and red. Okay to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MATR3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MATR3</a>
American beautyberry	<i>Callicarpa americana</i>	September-November	Ripe fruits are filled out and purple. Okay to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CAAM2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CAAM2</a>
Anacacho orchid	<i>Bauhinia lunarioides</i>	July - August	Pods turn brown and begin to release seeds. Collect seeds when pods turn brown and begin to dry.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=BALU">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=BALU</a>
Anacua	<i>Ehretia anacua</i>	June - July	Seeds are enclosed in orange or reddish filled out fruit. OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=EHAN">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=EHAN</a>
Ash, Green	<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	September-October	Collect samaras and place them in a breathable bag.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FRPE">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FRPE</a>
Ash, Mexican	<i>Fraxinus berlandieriana</i>	September-October	Collect samaras and place them in a breathable bag.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FRBE">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FRBE</a>
Ash, Texas	<i>Fraxinus albicans</i>	September - October	Collect samaras and place them in a breathable bag	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FRAL3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FRAL3</a>
Ash, Wafer	<i>Ptelea trifoliata</i>	August - October	Papery seed pods dry and turn light yellow-brown. Not necessary to remove samaras.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PTTR">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PTTR</a>
Ashe juniper	<i>Juniperus ashei</i>	August-September	Seeds are enclosed blue berry-like cones. Separate seed from berries.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUAS">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUAS</a>
Barberry, Texas	<i>Berberis/Mahonia swaseyi</i>		Collect ripe berries when they turn amber ort red. Remove pulp and dry seeds.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MASW">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MASW</a>
Basswood, Carolina	<i>Tilia americana subs. caroliniana</i>	July-September	Seed is spherical, about 1/4 inch in diameter when mature. Collect and place them in a breathable bag.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=TIAMC">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=TIAMC</a>
Blackgum	<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	September-October	Collect fruits when they are full, soft, and blue in color. Remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=NYSY">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=NYSY</a>
Blanco crabapple	<i>Malus ioensis var. texana</i>	September-October	Remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MAIOT8">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MAIOT8</a>
Brasilwood	<i>Condalia hookeri</i>	Spring to fall	Ok to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=coho">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=coho</a>
Buckeye, Mexican	<i>Ungnadia speciosa</i>	August - October	Seeds are enclosed in capsules. Shell/remove from husks.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=UNSP">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=UNSP</a>
Buckeye, Red	<i>Aesculus pavia</i>	August-September	Pear shape seed capsules contain 1-3 shiny seeds, or buckeyes. Seed pods will split open when ripe. Seeds do not store well and must be planted immediately	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=AEPA">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=AEPA</a>
Buttonbush, common	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	September-October	Seeds are enclosed in buttonlike seedballs . Okay to store entire seedballs.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CEOC2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CEOC2</a>
Carolina Buckthorn	<i>Frangula caroliniana</i>	September - November	Fruit turns dark purple. Remove pulp	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FRCA13">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FRCA13</a>
Catclaw acacia	<i>Senegalia greggii</i>	June-August	Pods turn yellowish brown and begin to dry. Collect seeds when pods turn yellowish brown and begin to dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SEGR4">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SEGR4</a>
Cedar, Eastern red	<i>Juniperus virginiana</i>	October-December	Seeds are enclosed in cones.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUVA">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUVA</a>

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Cherry laurel	<i>Prunus caroliniana</i>	July-September	Remove seed from pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRCA">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRCA</a>
Cottonwood	<i>Populus deltoides</i>	May-June	Seeds are enclosed in capsules and fluff. Remove capsules and fluff.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PODE3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PODE3</a>
Cypress, Bald	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	September - October	Seeds are enclosed in cones. Separate seed from cones.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=TADI2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=TADI2</a>
Cypress, Montezuma	<i>Taxodium mucronatum (distichum)</i>	September-October	Seeds are enclosed in a cone/seed ball. Harvest when the cones turn brown and begin to separate at the seams	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=TAMU">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=TAMU</a>
Desert willow	<i>Chilopsis linearis</i>	July-September	Pods turn brown and are somewhat dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CHLI2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CHLI2</a>
Dogwood, Roughleaf	<i>Cornus drummondii</i>	August-September	Ready when the white fruits are soft. Remove seed from fruit.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CODR">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CODR</a>
Dogwood, White	<i>Cornus florida</i>	August-September	Collect ripe fruits when they turn red. Remove pulp and dry seeds.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=COFL2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=COFL2</a>
Elbowbush	<i>Forestiera pubescens</i>	August - October	Remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FOPU2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=FOPU2</a>
Elderberry	<i>Sambucus nigra var. canadensis</i>	August - October	Remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SANI4">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SANI4</a>
Elm, American	<i>Ulmus americana</i>	March - June	Collect samaras and place them in a breathable bag	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ULAM">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ULAM</a>
Elm, Cedar	<i>Ulmus crassifolia</i>	September-October	Collect samaras and place them in a breathable bag.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ULCR">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ULCR</a>
Escarpment black cherry	<i>Prunus serotina var. eximia</i>	August-September	Dark red, filled out, and firm fruits. Remove seeds from pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRSEE">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRSEE</a>
Eve's necklace	<i>Styphnolobium affine</i>	September-October	Collect dry, brown seed pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=STAF4">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=STAF4</a>
False indigo, Roemer's	<i>Amorpha roemeriana</i>	June-July	Collect seed pods when brown and dry.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=AMRO2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=AMRO2</a>
Goldenball leadtree	<i>Leucaena retusa</i>	August-September	Pods turn yellowish brown and begin to dry. Collect seeds when pods turn yellowish brown and begin to dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=LERE5">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=LERE5</a>
Guajillo	<i>Senegalia berlandieri</i>	July-September	Collect seeds when pods turn yellowish brown and begin to dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SEBE2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SEBE2</a>
Gum Bumelia	<i>Sideroxylon lanuginosum</i>	September - October	Collect fruits when they are full, soft, and blue-black in color. Remove pulp	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SILA20">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SILA20</a>
Hawthorn, Cockspur	<i>Crataegus crus-galli</i>	September-October	Ripe fruits are filled out and yellow, red, or reddish orange. OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CRCR2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CRCR2</a>
Hawthorn, Downy	<i>Crataegus mollis</i>	September-October	Ripe fruits are filled out and yellow, red, or reddish orange. OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CRMO2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CRMO2</a>

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Hawthorn, Tracy	<i>Crataegus tracyi</i>	September-October	Ripe fruits are filled out and yellow, red, or reddish orange. OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CRTR">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CRTR</a>
Hawthorn, Turner's	<i>Crataegus turnerorum</i>	September-October	Ripe fruits are filled out and yellow, red, or reddish orange. OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CRTU2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CRTU2</a>
Hog plum	<i>Colubrina texensis</i>	August-September	Fruit turns brown and pulps dries out.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=COTE6">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=COTE6</a>
Honey locust	<i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i>	September-November	Pods turn brown and are somewhat dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=GLTR">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=GLTR</a>
Honey mesquite	<i>Prosopis glandulosa</i>	August-October	Pods turn brown and are somewhat dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRGL2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRGL2</a>
Huisache	<i>Vachellia farnesiana</i>	June-August	Collect seeds when pods turn yellowish brown and begin to dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=VAFA">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=VAFA</a>
Indigo Bush	<i>Amorpha fruticosa</i>	July - August	Pods turn yellowish brown and begin to dry. Collect seeds when pods turn yellowish brown and begin to dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=AMFR">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=AMFR</a>
Lindheimer's Senna	<i>Senna lindheimeriana</i>	September-November	Remove from pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SELI4">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SELI4</a>
Loblolly pine	<i>Pinus taeda</i>	October-November	Seeds are enclosed in cones. Separate seed from cones.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PITA">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PITA</a>
Madrone	<i>Arbutus xalapensis</i>	September-November	Fruits are bright red and soft. Remove seed from fruit.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ARXA80">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ARXA80</a>
Maple, Bigtooth	<i>Acer grandidentatum</i>	October-November	Samaras turn yellow or reddish brown and seeds inside are firm, filled out, and dark brown. Remove samaras.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ACGR3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ACGR3</a>
Maple, Box Elder	<i>Acer negundo</i>	September - October	Samaras turn yellow or reddish brown and seeds inside are firm, filled out, and dark brown. Remove samaras.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ACNE2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ACNE2</a>
Mimosa, Fragrant	<i>Mimosa borealis</i>	September-October	Collect dry, brown seed pods	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MIBO2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MIBO2</a>
Mimosa, Texas	<i>Mimosa texana</i>	July-September	Collect pods when they turn brown and dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MITE6">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MITE6</a>
Oak, Blackjack (red)	<i>Quercus marilandica</i>	September-November	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUMA3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUMA3</a>
Oak, Buckley's /Texas Red Oak	<i>Quercus buckleyi</i>	September - November	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUBU2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUBU2</a>
Oak, Bur (white)	<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	September-October	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUMA2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUMA2</a>
Oak, Chinquapin (Hill Cou	<i>Quercus muehlenbergii</i>	September-November	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUMU">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUMU</a>
Oak, Durand /Bastard Oak	<i>Quercus sinuata</i>	September - November	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUSI">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUSI</a>
Oak, Lacey (white)	<i>Quercus laceyi</i>	September-November	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUILA">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUILA</a>
Oak, Live (coastal) (white)	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	October-December	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUVI">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUVI</a>
Oak, Live (escarpment) (w	<i>Quercus fusiformis</i>	October-December	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUFU">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUFU</a>

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Oak, Overcup (white)	<i>Quercus lyrata</i>	September-October	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QJLY">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QJLY</a>
Oak, Post	<i>Quercus stellata</i>	September - November	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUST">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUST</a>
Oak, Shumard (red)	<i>Quercus shumardii</i>	September-November	Mature acorns pop out easily, brown, not green. Float test for viability.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUSH">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=QUSH</a>
Osage Orange	<i>Maclura pomifera</i>	August-October	Collect fruit as they fall from the tree. Discard any seeds that are less heavy than the others, lacking a husk, or for which the husk is fully dry.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MAPO">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MAPO</a>
Palmetto, Dwarf	<i>Sabal minor</i>	September-October	Remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SAMI8">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SAMI8</a>
Pecan	<i>Carya illinoensis</i>	September - November	Collect nuts from the ground with dry and split open husks, remove persistent husks as needed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CAIL2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CAIL2</a>
Persimmon, Common	<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	September-November	Ready when fruits are completely purple-black and soft. Remove seed from fruit.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=DIVI5">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=DIVI5</a>
Persimmon, Texas	<i>Diospyros texana</i>	July - September	Ready when fruits are completely purple-black and soft. Remove seed from fruit.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=DITE3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=DITE3</a>
Plum, Chickasaw	<i>Prunus angustifolia</i>	May-July	Remove seed from pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRAN3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRAN3</a>
Plum, Creek	<i>Prunus rivularis</i>	August-September	Remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRRI">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRRI</a>
Plum, Mexican	<i>Prunus mexicana</i>	July - September	Dark red, filled out, and firm fruits. Remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRME">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PRME</a>
Possumhaw Holly	<i>Ilex decidua</i>	September - persist until Spring	Ripe fruits are filled out and yellow, red, or reddish orange. OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ILDE">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ILDE</a>
Red mulberry	<i>Morus rubra</i>	May - July	Ready when fruits are completely purple-black and soft. Remove seed from fruit.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MORU2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=MORU2</a>
Redbud, Texas	<i>Cercis canadensis var. texensis</i>	July-September	Collect pods when they turn brown and dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CECAT">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CECAT</a>
Retama or palo verde	<i>Parkinsonia aculeata</i>	July-September	Pods turn brown and are somewhat dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PAAC3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PAAC3</a>
Roundflower catclaw	<i>Senegalia roemeriana</i>	June-August	Collect seeds when pods turn redish brown and begin to dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SERO">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SERO</a>
Rusty Blackhaw Viburnum	<i>Viburnum rufidulum</i>	October - February	Remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=VIRU">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=VIRU</a>
Silktassel, Lindheimer's	<i>Garrya ovata ssp lindheimeri</i>	Late September-February	Remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=GAOVL">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=GAOVL</a>
Smoketree	<i>Cotinus obovatus</i>	June-August	Ripe fruits are filled out and dark. Remove pulp and dry seeds.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=COOB2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=COOB2</a>
Soapberry	<i>Sapindus saponaria var. drummondii</i>	September - February	Remove waxy covering.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SASAD">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SASAD</a>
Southern catalpa	<i>Catalpa bignonioides</i>	June-August	Collect long, green seed pods when they start to turn brown and split open to collect seeds.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CABI8">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=CABI8</a>
Spicebush	<i>Lindera benzoin</i>	August-October	Collect when red, and remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=LIBE3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=LIBE3</a>
Sugar hackberry	<i>Celtis laevigata</i>	September-October	Collect ripe fruits when they are dark red/purple and remove pulp.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/gallery/result.php?id_image=39205">https://www.wildflower.org/gallery/result.php?id_image=39205</a>

## Priority List for Seed Collection

Common Name	Scientific Name	Seed Collection Time	Instructions	More Information Link
Sumac, Evergreen	<i>Rhus virens</i>	September - December	OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=RHV13">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=RHV13</a>
Sumac, Flameleaf	<i>Rhus lanceolata</i>	September - December	OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=RHLA3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=RHLA3</a>
Sumac, Fragrant	<i>Rhus aromatica</i>	September - December	OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=RHAR4">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=RHAR4</a>
Sycamore	<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	October - November	Seeds are enclosed in seed ball. Break down seed ball.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PLOC">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=PLOC</a>
Sycamoreleaf snowbell	<i>Styrax platanifolius</i>	August-September	Collect when capsules turn brown and split open. Persist until January. Separate seeds from capsules.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=STPL3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=STPL3</a>
Texas Kidneywood	<i>Eysenhardtia texana</i>	August - November	Pods turn brown and are somewhat dry. Seeds can be left in pods.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=EYTE">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=EYTE</a>
Texas Mountain Laurel	<i>Sophora secundiflora</i>	August-October	Remove pods	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SOSE3">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SOSE3</a>
Toothache Tree	<i>Zanthoxylum hirsutum</i>	July - September	Harvest when some fruits have split open to release the shiny black seeds. After collection, store in a breathable bag. The fruit skins will continue splitting, making it easier to separate them from the seeds.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ZAH12">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ZAH12</a>
Walnut, Arizona	<i>Juglans major</i>	September-November	Collect nuts from the ground with dry and split open husks, remove persistent husks as needed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUMA">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUMA</a>
Walnut, Black	<i>Juglans nigra</i>	September-October	Collect nuts from the ground with dry and split open husks, remove persistent husks as needed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUNI">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUNI</a>
Walnut, Texas or little	<i>Juglans microcarpa</i>	September-November	Collect nuts from the ground with dry and split open husks. Remove persistent husks.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUMI">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=JUMI</a>
Whitebrush or beebush	<i>Aloysia gratissima</i>	August-October	Collect when seed clusters turn brown and dry. Remove seeds from clusters.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ALGR2">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ALGR2</a>
Willow, Black	<i>Salix nigra</i>	April-June	Enclosed in capsules. Separate from capsule. Plant soon after collection.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SANI">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=SANI</a>
Yaupon Holly	<i>Ilex vomitoria</i>	September - October	Ripe fruits are filled out and yellow, red, or reddish orange. OK to dry with pulp on seed.	<a href="https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ILVO">https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=ILVO</a>