VINES: Trailing plants that can be used to add a vertical interest by growing on a trellis, pergola or on a landscape wall. Vines often have showy flowers, that attract birds, hummingbirds and pollinating bees. Some of the vines recommended in this guide can be used as a groundcover where noted.
**Vines**

**Dutchmans Pipe (Aristolochia macrophylla)**

**Sun Requirements:** Full sun to part shade

**Soil Requirements:** Moist, well drained soils

**Natural Habitat:** Moist, shady woodlands

**Mature Height:** Climbs up to 30 feet

**Wildlife Value:** Attracts pollinating bees, hummingbirds and butterflies

**Garden Use:** Dutchmans Pipe is a climbing woody vine with distinct flowers that resemble an old Dutch pipe. The flowers are beautiful, with dark purple and bright red on the exterior, and a soft yellow color on the interior. Use on a trellis or arbor. Can create a dense screen or shade.

**Trumpet Creeper (Campsis radicans)**

**Sun Requirements:** Full Sun

**Soil Requirements:** Moist

**Natural Habitat:** Moist woods, along fence rows in old fields

**Mature Height:** Climbs up to 30 feet

**Wildlife Value:** Hummingbirds

**Garden Use:** Trumpet Creeper will add a vertical and colorful element to any landscape. Use a sturdy trellis as it can become aggressive and heavy. Blooms in early summer with a trumpet-like flower that changes color from deep red to bright yellow.

**Trumpet Honeysuckle (Lonicera sempervirens)**

**Sun Requirements:** Full sun

**Soil Requirements:** Moist

**Natural Habitat:** Woodlands

**Mature Size:** Climbs up to 20 feet

**Wildlife Value:** Attracts birds, pollinating bees, butterflies and hummingbirds

**Garden Use:** Trumpet Honeysuckle is a beautiful, slender climbing vine often visited by hummingbirds. This vine is not too aggressive and has bright red and orange flower clusters in spring and early summer. Can also be used as a groundcover.
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Vines

**Virginia Creeper** *(Parthenocissus quinquefolia)*

**Sun Requirements**: Full sun to part shade

**Soil Requirements**: Moist, well-drained soils

**Natural Habitat**: Hedgerows, abandoned sites, streambanks

**Mature Height**: Climbs up to 30 feet

**Wildlife Value**: Attracts birds, hummingbirds

**Garden Use**: Virginia Creeper can be used as a climbing vine or a groundcover. As a groundcover the leaves will carpet any surface in bright green before turning to red in the fall. This vine will not damage buildings as it does not have penetrating rootlets. Excellent vine for covering fences and rock walls.

**Fox Grape** *(Vitis labrusca)*

**Sun Requirements**: Full sun to full shade

**Soil Requirements**: Dry to moist

**Natural Habitat**: Woodlands, forest edge, disturbed sites and ditches

**Mature Height**: Climbs up to 30 feet

**Wildlife Value**: Attracts birds and bees

**Garden Use**: Aggressive climber that can be used on a trellis or pergola where shade is desired. Quickly establishes and provides a nice full leafy texture. Fruit is edible, often made into jams or in beverages.

**American Wisteria** *(Wisteria frutescens)*

**Sun Requirements**: Full sun to full shade

**Soil Requirements**: Rich moist soils

**Natural Habitat**: Low woodlands, riverbanks, upland thickets

**Mature Height**: Climbs up to 30 feet

**Wildlife Value**: Attracts butterflies

**Garden Use**: American Wisteria is a lovely aromatic plant that is less aggressive and less damaging to building structures than other vines. It has exquisite fragrant flowers that bloom white, blue, and purple from late spring into early summer. Excellent for arbors and trellises.