Hackberry



(Celtis occidentalis)



Shade Tree



40' - 60' High



40' - 60' Spread



Oval Shape



Growth Fast



Full Sun



Water Needs Moderate



Zone 2 - 9







This Iowa woodland native grows into a tall tree with a broad crown and arching branches, similar to the American Elm. The Hackberry is tolerant to a wide range of conditions: light shade, occasionally wet soils, drought, clay, and urban conditions. It is a very hardy tree, with a unique corky bark that can easily find a home in its native Iowa conditions.

