

## California Native Landscape Design

# EXAMPLE PLANTING PALETTES

### Title: Hidden Valley

Oak Woodland- Grassland - Riparian

*Achillea millefolium* / **yarrow** / (1 - 3 ft tall, .5 - 2 ft wide)  
*Carex pansa* / **sand dune sedge** / (.7 - 1 ft tall)  
*Ceanothus* 'Valley Violet' / **valley violet ceanothus** / (1 - 2 ft tall, 3 - 4 ft wide)  
*Clinopodium douglasii* / **yerba buena** / (3 - 7 in tall, 3 ft wide)  
*Juncus patens* / **common rush** / (1 - 3 ft tall, 3 ft wide)  
*Melica imperfecta* / **small flowered melica** / (3 - 4 ft tall, 1 ft wide)  
*Muhlenbergia rigens* / **deergrass** / (4 - 5 ft tall, 4 ft wide)  
*Penstemon* 'Margarita Bop' / (1 - 2 tall)  
*Quercus berberidifolia* / **Scrub Oak** / (15 - 20 ft tall, 15 ft wide)  
*Quercus engelmannii* / **Engelmann Oak** / (32 - 66 ft tall, 90 ft wide)  
*Salvia leucophylla* / **purple sage** / (2 - 5 tall, 3 - 10 ft wide)  
*Sisyrinchium bellum* / **blue eyed grass** / (1 - 2 tall, 2 in wide)  
*Solidago californica* / **California Goldenrod** / (1 - 5 ft tall)

### Title: Desert View

Desert

*Agave bracteosa* / **squid agave** / (2 - 4 ft tall, 2 - 3 ft wide)  
*Artemisia tridentata* / **big sagebrush** / (3 - 5 ft tall, 10 ft wide)  
*Bouteloua gracilis* / **blue grama grass** / (.5 - 2 ft tall, 2 ft wide)  
*Calliandra californica* / **red fairyduster** / (3 - 5 ft tall, 5 ft wide)  
*Condea emoryi* / **desert lavender** / (6 - 12 ft tall, 8 ft wide )  
*Encelia farinosa* / **brittlebush** / (1 - 5 ft tall, 4 ft wide)  
*Gambelia juncea* 'Gran Canon' / **Gran Canon Baja Bush Snapdragon** / (3 - 5 ft tall, 5 - 10 ft wide)  
*Larrea tridentata* / **creosote bush** / (3 - 12 ft tall, 6 - 12 ft wide)  
*Mirabilis californica* / **desert wishbone-bush** (1 ft tall, 8 ft wide)  
*Simmondsia chinensis* / **jojoba** / (3 - 7 ft, 4 - 7 ft wide)  
*Sphaeralcea* 'Childerley' / **childerley mallow** (2 - 3 ft tall, 1 - 2 ft wide)  
*Thymophylla pentachaeta* / **five needle pricklyleaf** / (1 ft tall)

## Title: Mountain Basin

Foothill - Meadow

*Adenostoma 'Nicolas'* / **Nicolas chamise** / ( )

*Arctostaphylos uva-ursi* / **kinnikinnick** / (1 ft tall, 10 ft wide)

*Arctostaphylos 'Byrd Hill'* / **Byrd Hill manzanita** / (8 - 10 ft tall, 6 - 8 ft wide)

*Arctostaphylos 'Howard McMinn'* / **Howard McMinn manzanita** / (5 - 7 ft tall, 8 - 10 ft wide)

*Ceanothus 'Sierra Blue'* / **Sierra blue mountain lilac** / (15 - 20 ft tall, 15 - 25 ft wide)

*Cercis occidentalis* / **western redbud** / (10 - 20 ft tall, 10 - 15 ft wide)

*Epilobium canum* / **California fuchsia** / (.25 - 1 ft tall, 2 - 3 ft wide)

*Festuca californica* / **California fescue** / (1 - 4 ft tall, 3 ft wide)

*Fragaria chiloensis* 'Chaval' / **beach strawberry** / (1 - 4 in tall, 2 - 3 ft wide)

*Frangula* 'Mound San Bruno' / **Mound San Bruno California coffeeberry** / (3 - 4 ft tall, 4 - 6 ft wide)

*Heuchera* 'Wendy' / **Wendy alumroot** / (.5 - 1 ft tall, 1 - 2 ft wide)

*Holodiscus discolor* / **cream bush** / (3 - 16 ft tall, 10 - 15 ft wide)

*Iris* sp.

*Monardella odoratissima* / **mountain coyote mint** / (4 - 11 in tall)

## Title: Coastal Bluff

Coastal Sage Scrub

*Arctostaphylos cruzensis* / **Arroyo de la Cruz manzanita** / (.7 - 3 ft tall, 5 ft wide)

*Atriplex lentiformis* / **big saltbush** / (3 - 10 ft tall, 10 ft wide)

*Artemisia californica* / **California sagebrush** / (1 - 8 ft tall, 4 ft wide)

*Baccharis* 'Pigeon Point' / **dwarf coyote bush** (1 - 5 ft tall)

*Camissoniopsis cheiranthifolia* / **beach evening primrose** / (1 - 4 in tall, .5 - 3 ft wide)

*Dudleya attenuata* / **dudleya attenuata** / (3 - 8 ft tall)

*Dudleya brittonii* 'silver' / **giant chalk dudleya** / (6 in tall, 6 - 10 in wide)

*Encelia californica* / **bush sunflower** / (1 - 5 ft tall, 3 - 7 ft wide)

*Eriogonum grande* var. *rubescens* / **red-flowered buckwheat** / (.7 - 1 ft tall, 3 ft wide)

*Eriogonum* 'Dana Point' / **Dana Point buckwheat** / (3 - 4 ft tall, 6 - 10 ft wide)

*Heteromeles arbutifolia* / **toyon** / (6 -30 ft tall, 10 - 15 ft wide)

*Leymus* 'Canyon Prince' / **Canyon Prince wild rye** / (2 -3 ft tall, 3 ft wide)

*Rhus integrifolia* / **lemonade berry** / (3 - 30 ft tall, 3 - 20 ft wide)

*Salvia apiana* / **white sage** / (3 - 5 ft tall, 3 - 8 ft wide)

*Salvia* 'Jade Carpet' / **Jade carpet black sage** / (1 - 2 ft tall, 4 - 6 ft wide)

*Asclepias* sp. / **milkweed** fits into any of these plant lists :)