

Plants to grow in the shade of a house, fence, other plants in south central areas like Regina, Moose Jaw, Weyburn, Yorkton, Swift Current and Estevan. All will grow in full sun too but will need more water. I have not listed S1 and S2 rare plants.

Native asters, goldenrods and sunflowers feed 75% of the pollinators living in Saskatchewan.

Easier to grow, well-behaved plants used by the most pollinators to try.

Giant Hyssop	Agastache foeniculum flowers (after seeds ripen) make a nice tea
Wild Bergamot	Monarda fistulosa (flowers make a nice tea)
Lindley's Aster	Symphotrichum ciliolatum
Stiff Goldenrod	Solidago rigida (no rhizomes)
Pink Onion	Allium Stellatum
Long-fruited Anemone	Anemone cylindrica
Wild Blue Flax	Linum lewisii
June grass	Koeleria macrantha
Little Blue Stem	Schizachyrium scoparium
Blue grama	Bouteloua gracilis
Green Needle Grass	Nasella viridula

Other plants to try:

Purple Prairie Clover	Dalea purpurea
Dotted Blazingstar	Liatris punctata
Meadow Blazingstar	Liatris ligulistylus
Wild Strawberry	Fragaria virginiana
Long-fruited anemone	Anemone cylindrica
Canada Anemone	Anemone canadensis
Wild Columbine	Aquilegia canadensis
Small-flowered Columbine	Aquilegia brevistyla
Wild mint	Menthe arvensis
Western Clematis	Clematis ligusticifolia
Viola canadensis var rugulosa	Western Canada violet
Viola adunca	Early Blue Violet
Heart-leaved Alexanders	Zizia aptera
Tall Lungwort	Mertensia paniculata
Harebell (not the bad guy)	Campanula rotundifolia
Joe Pyweed	Eutrochium purpureum
Oblong-leaved Gentian	Gentian affinis
Wild Lily of the Valley	Maianthemum canadense
Star-flowered Solomon's Seal	Maianthemum stellatum
Three-flowered Solomon's sea	Maianthemum trifolium
Tall Meadow Rue	Thalictrum dasycarpum
Veiny Meadow Rue	Thalictrum venulosum
Philadelphia Fleabane	Erigeron philadelphicus
Prairie Lily	Lilium philadelphicum
Canada Wildrye	Elymus canadensis
Buffalo Grass	Bouteloua dactyloides (turf grass)
Blue grama	Bouteloua gracilis
Side oats grama	Bouteloua curtipendula part shade
Low Milkweed	Asclepias ovalifolia (shorter and earlier blooms than Showy)
Showy Milkweed	Asclepias speciosa
Baneberry	Actaea rubra
Cornus sericea	Red-osier Dogwood
Salix discolor	Pussy willow (up to 25' high needs water) great for earliest bees