



Sunlight Conditions for Hydrangeas

- **Macrophylla and Arborescens hydrangeas (like ‘Endless Summer’ or ‘Twist-N-Shout’)** - plant in well filtered sun or full morning sun with afternoon shade no later than 12pm.
- **Paniculata hydrangeas (like ‘Limelight’ or ‘Baby Lace’)** - Will handle direct sun light into early afternoon (1-2pm) but will benefit from a little afternoon shade or filtered sun.
- **Quercifoila hydrangea- (like ‘Alice Oakleaf’ or ‘Ruby Slippers’)** -Will handle full sun but benefit from a little afternoon shade or filtered sun, especially this far south.

Soil Conditions for Hydrangeas

- Hydrangeas thrive in moist yet well drained soil with rich organic matter
- Hydrangeas prefer acidic soils, but can adapt to alkaline soils as well
- PH levels can directly affect bloom color on macrophylla hydrangeas
 - Lower PH- blue blooms, higher PH-pink blooms