



Looking for Japanese Barberry?

Japanese Barberry (*Berberis thunbergii*) is prohibited from sale or planting in New Hampshire because it is an invasive species.

Consider using these non-invasive alternatives:

Weigela



Compact, purple cultivars such as 'Minuet', 'Wine and Roses', and 'Midnight Wine' combine great foliage and beautiful late spring bloom.

Common Ninebark



A very tough plant, ninebark now has great purple-leaved cultivars available such as 'Diablo' (8-10'tall) and Summer Wine' (5-6'tall).

Shrub Roses



Many shrub roses are available that are grown on their own-root (instead of grafted), are disease resistant, and cold hardy. A few suggestions are 'Sea Foam', 'Harrison's Yellow', and 'Glory of Edzell'.

Slender Deutzia



'Nikko' slender deutzia is recommended for its graceful low form, abundant white flowers in spring, and burgandy fall leaf color.

Alternative Plant	Leaf Color	Form	Size (H x W)	Zone	Flowers	Drought Tolerant	Native to NH	Soil & Light Preference
Weigela <i>Weigela florida</i>	green or purple	dense, rounded	2-4' x 2-4'	C S	pink or red			well-drained soil, FS
Slender Deutzia <i>Deutzia gracilis</i>	green	low, mounded	2-4' x 3-4'	C S	white			well-drained soil, FS - LS
Shrub Rose <i>Rosa hybrds</i>	green	varies	2-4' x 2-4'	N C S	white or pink to red			well-drained soil, FS
Common Ninebark <i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>	purple	upright	5-10' x 5-10'	N C S	white	✓	✓	adaptable, FS - PS

N = Northern NH, C = Central NH, S = Southern NH FS = Full Sun, LS= Light Sun, PS = Partial Shade