

Enkianthus campanulatus

(furin-tsutsuji, Redvein Enkianthus)

An upright deciduous shrub that is native to the woodlands of Japan with tiny bell shaped creamy yellow to pinkish flowers. It grows moderately and should be pruned immediately after flowering. It has green to blueish green leaves that have an interesting red colors in the fall with shades of orange, yellow and purple



Plant Image

Landscape Information

Pronunciation: en-kee-AN-thus kum-pan-you-LAY-tus
Plant Type: Shrub
Origin: Japan
Heat Zones: 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
Hardiness Zones: 5, 6, 7, 8
Uses: Specimen, Border Plant, Container
Size/Shape
Growth Rate: Moderate
Tree Shape: Spreading, Upright
Canopy Symmetry: Irregular
Canopy Density: Open
Canopy Texture: Medium
Height at Maturity: 1.5 to 3 m, 3 to 5 m
Spread at Maturity: 1.5 to 3 meters, 3 to 5 meters
Time to Ultimate Height: 20 to 50 Years
Companion Plants: rhododendrons

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Opposite

Leaf Venation: Pinnate

Leaf Persistence: Deciduous

Leaf Type: Simple

Leaf Blade: 5 - 10 cm

Leaf Shape: Obovate

Leaf Margins: Serrate

Leaf Scent: No Fragrance

Color(growing season): Green, Blue-Green

Color(changing season): Yellow, Orange, Red, Purple

Flower

Flower Showiness: True

Flower Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Flower Type: Raceme

Flower Color: Yellow, Orange, Red, White, Pink

Seasons: Spring, Summer

Trunk

Trunk Has Crownshaft: False

Number of Trunks: Multi-Trunked

Trunk Esthetic Values: Showy, Smooth

Fruit

Fruit Type: Capsule

Fruit Colors: Brown

Seasons: Spring, Summer

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Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: Yes

Heat Tolerant: No

Drought Tolerant: No

Salt Tolerance: Poor

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Clay, Loam, Sand

Soil Ph Requirements: Acidic, Neutral

Water Requirements: Moderate

Light Requirements: Full, Part

Management

Pruning Requirement: Needed, to develop a strong structure

Life Span: Less than 25

Diseases: Generally disease free

Edible Parts: None

Pests: Mites

Plant Propagations: Seed, Cutting, Layering

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