



# CHRISTMAS TREE BUYING GUIDE

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## *Nordman Fir*

- A lovely rich green colour.
- Our most popular choice, due to its long soft needles and excellent needle retention.
- The 'Stubbings' Nordman is usually very bushy so not always ideal to fit in tight spaces.

## *Noble Fir*

- Blue/green colour.
- Long soft needles and excellent needle retention.
- Generally narrower and more layered in style than the popular Nordman, providing plenty of space for baubles, tinsel and other decorations.

## *Fraser Fir*

- A lovely green colour with silver sheen under needle with fantastic balsam aromas.
- Shorter, rounder needles and excellent to good needle retention.
- Bushier than Noble, but narrower than the other Fir varieties, a very popular choice for the modern home.

## *Lodgepole Pine*

- Dark green colour.
- Long needles in a classic pine shape with good needle retention.
- Bushy and generally wider than Firs.

*The largest range of cut and pot grown Christmas trees*



### *Blue Spruce*

- Blue/green colour.
- Medium thin (and sharp) needles so gloves are required, with medium needle retention.
- A stunning Christmas tree, most beautiful when the needles are bluish in colour.



### *Norway Spruce*

- Green colour
- Medium sized thin needles and medium needle retention.
- The traditional Christmas tree but less popular now due to its less favourable needle retaining qualities, but generally more cost effective than Fir varieties.



### *Pot Crown Trees*

- Many varieties that can be planted in the garden after the festive season.
- Will need some TLC after being in a warm home.
- Please do consider where you plant the tree as they can get very big.

## CHRISTMAS TREE CARE

**PREPARATION** - Make sure you unwrap your tree outside and bang firmly on the ground to remove any debris and loose needles before bringing into your home.

**A FRESH CUT** - Make sure you take a fresh cut off the base of the trunk (at least 1 inch) before bringing the tree indoors. We can cut this for you if required.

**WATER, WATER, WATER** - Your tree stand should have a water reservoir. You'll be amazed how much a tree will drink in the first weeks indoors. Keep watering but note that the tree will drink less and less as the season progresses.

**STANDS** - Alongside the ability to provide sufficient water, you should also check your stand is suitable for the size of tree you wish to buy. Ensuring you have a solid stand is especially important if you have young children or pets.

**NEEDLE DROP** - As a fresh product, grown outdoors, trees will inevitably drop needles, the extent of which will depend on many factors.

**AVOID TOO MUCH HEAT** - Don't forget that Christmas Trees are grown outside. Radiators are their worst enemy so if possible turn off (or down) any radiators in close proximity to your tree.

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