

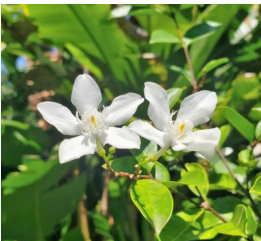
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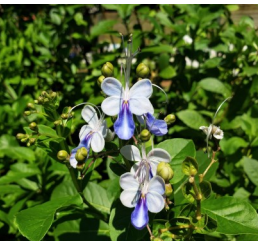
Calabash Tree
Crescena cujete



Blue Plumbago
Plumbago auriculata



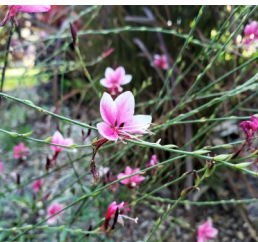
Asian Snow
Wrightia antidysenterica



Blue Butterfly Clerodendrum
Clerodendrum ugandense



Fountain Clerodendrum
Clerodendrum minnahassa



Guara
Guara lindheimeri



Campanita
Campanita sp.

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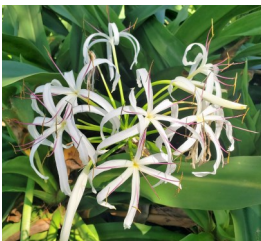
All flowering plants are designed to appeal to certain pollinators. Some flowers attract bees, others butterflies, birds, or bats. The starfish flower cactus (*Stapelia spp.*) emits an odor like rotting meat to attract flies in areas where other insects are scarce.



Allamanda
Allamanda cathartica



Cape Honeysuckle
Tecoma capensis



Crinum Lily
Crinum spp.



Ylang Ylang
Cananga odorata

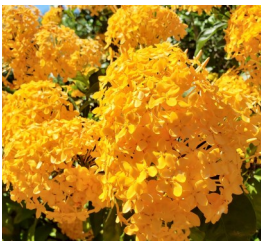
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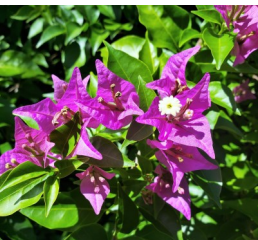
Sky Vine (*Thunbergia grandiflora*) comes in blue and white cultivars. Check them out near the Larchmont Avenue entrances.



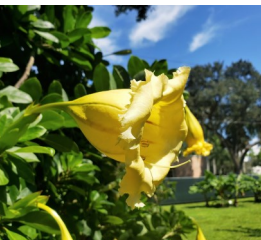
Cannonball Tree
Couroupita guianensis



Ixora
Ixora coccinea



Bougainvillea
Bougainvillea glabra



Chalice Vine
Solandra maxima



Geiger Tree
Cordia sebestena



Hibiscus
Hibiscus spp.

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Porterweed (Blue and Coral cultivars)
Stachytarpheta jamaicensis



Bleeding Heart Vine
Clerodendrum thomsoniae

Chenille Plant
Acalypha hispida



Firebush
Hamelia patens



Bridal Bouquet
Plumeria pudica



King's Mantle
Thunbergia erecta

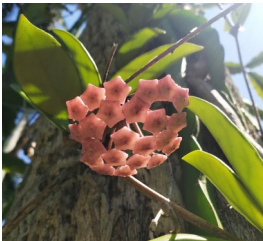


Powderpuff
Calliandra spp.

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Bottlebrush (*Callistemon spp.*) is blooming along the river near the Ford Cottage Shoppe. This Australian native attracts hummingbirds, and is considered a Florida-friendly plant despite being related to the invasive melaleuca tree.



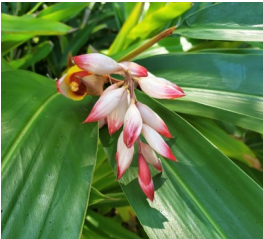
Wax Flower
Hoya sp.



Cereus Cactus
Hylocereus sp.



Queen's Crape Myrtle
Lagerstroemia speciosa 'Big Pink'



Shell Ginger
Alpinia zerumbet

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Vinca
Vinca sp.



Tropical Lilac
Cornutia grandiflora



Shrub Vinca
Kopsia fruticosa



Pentas
Pentas lanceolata



Blue Pea Vine
Clitoria ternatea



Cuban Buttercup
Terneria ulmifolia



Monkey Brush Vine
Combretum rotundifolium



Orange Zest
Cestrum aurantiacum

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Candlestick Senna
Senna alata



Tropical Dogwood
Mussaenda spp.



Siamese Myrtle
Lagerstroemia siamica



Giant Milkweed
Calotropis gigantea