

Chinese Pistachio

The Chinese Pistachio is known as a fast-growing ornamental tree. It makes an excellent addition to any streetscape with its compact, rounded form and dark red and orange autumn foliage adding a riot of colour.

Naturally found in the dryer forests of China, the Chinese Pistachio is a hardy tree that requires formative pruning when young and reacts well to regular pruning once established.



You can see examples of Chinese Pistachio planted along Alber Street, North Parramatta, between Sorrell Street and Brickfield Street.



<i>a</i>	Botanic name	Pistacia chinensis
	Origin	China
	Typical height	10-18m
	Typical width	8m
	Leaf	Green feather-shaped leaf with individual leaves each side of a central stem
	Bark	Brown, rough and shallow grooved
	Flowers	White, small bell-shaped
	Fruit Pod	Deep blue with outer fleshy layer

