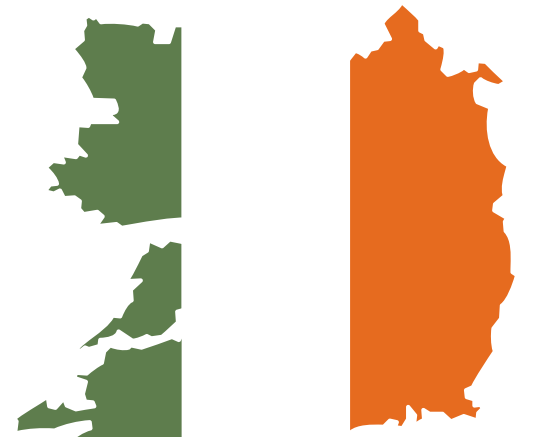




Ireland's Top 20



Daisy

A familiar white and yellow flower found in lawns and grassy places.



Creeping Buttercup

Five yellow petals and look for a long groove down the flower-stalk; jagged leaves with pale marks.



Yarrow

Lots of tiny white flowers clustered into an umbrella shape. Leaves very feathery



Dandelion

A yellow flower with jagged leaves found in lawns, grassy places and flowerbeds.



Hogweed

Big divided leaves, hairy stems, white umbrella-shaped or cauliflower-like flowers.



Lesser Celandine

Yellow Buttercup-like flowers with 7-12 petals and glossy heart-shaped leaves.



Groundsel

Yellow flowers, sometimes in a cluster, with no petals. Weedy places and pavements.



Herb Robert

Pink 5-petalled flowers and deeply divided fern-like leaves. It's a bit smelly!



Red Clover

Distinctive flowers with 3-lobed leaves immediately below the flowerhead.



Gorse

Yellow flowers that smell of coconut in the sun. Watch out for the prickly spines!



Ivy-leaved Toadflax

Lilac flowers and ivy-shaped leaves, grows out of walls and on gravel.



Hairy Bittercress

Clusters of tiny white four-petalled flowers (with four stamens) and upright seedpods.



Annual Meadow Grass

A tiny grass. We recommend you submit a photo of this one.



Petty Spurge

Tiny, green-yellow, sea-anemone-like flowers are cupped by green, leaf-like 'bracts'.



Oxeye Daisy

Looks like a very big daisy but with leaves growing up the stem, not in a rosette.



Winter Heliotrope

Beautifully scented purple flowers and big heart-shaped leaves.



Common Ragwort

A tall plant with clusters of bright yellow daisy-like flowers.



Red Dead-nettle

Leaves like a nettle but with obvious pinkish flowers. It doesn't sting!



Smooth Sow-thistle

A dandelion look-alike but stem leaves have pointy bases which wrap around the stem.



Nipplewort

Multiple small yellow flowerheads on a tall stem. Leaves with little teeth on edges.