

# Rosa Darcey Bussell



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<b>Botanical Name:</b>	Rosa Darcey Bussell
<b>Common Names:</b>	David Austin Rose,
<b>Native:</b>	No
<b>Foliage Type:</b>	Deciduous
<b>Plant Type:</b>	Hedging / Screening, Roses, Shrubs
<b>Plant Habit:</b>	Rounded, Shrub Like, Upright

### Description:

David Austin roses are modern hybrid English rose. They have been bred with the characteristics of an old fashioned rose with large double cupped blooms that are highly fragrant. They have the ability to repeat flower and have a high resistant to diseases making them a fantastic addition to the landscape with their magnificent floral displays and fragrance. Darcey Bussell has bright crimson double rosette blooms that have a great fragrance

**Family Name:** Rosaceae

**Origin:** Europe

### Characteristics:

**Foliage Colours:** Green

**Flower Colours:** Red

**Flower Fragrant:** No

**Flowering Season:** Spring, Summer

**Fruit:** Insignificant

### Requirements:

**Growth Rate:** Moderate

**Maintenance Level:** Medium

**Water Usage:** Medium / Moderate

### Tolerances:

**Drought:** Medium / Moderate

**Frost:** High

**Wind:** High

**Mature Height:** 1-2m **Position:** Full Sun

**Mature Width:** 60cm-1m **Soil Type:** Any, Well Drained

**Landscape Use(s):** Courtyard, Cut Flower, Feature, Formal Garden, Fragrant Garden, Hedging / Screening, Mass Planting, Container / Pot

### Pest & Diseases:

Aphids, Black Spot, Mites, Possums, Powdery Mildew, Rust, Scale, Thrips, Yellow Leaves

### Cultural Notes:

Plant in well drained soil that has a high amount of organic matter. When planting ensure the grafting bud is above soil level. Mulch with a organic mulch. Fertilize regularly throughout the growing season with a rose specific fertilizer. Pruning can be done regularly throughout the growing season by removing spent blooms which encourages repeat flowering. Hard pruning is undertaken in winter once the plant has gone dormant, pruning to a vase shape to increase air movement within the plant to reduce the occurrence of pests and diseases.

### Plant Care:

Annual slow release fertiliser, Keep moist during dry periods, Liquid feed, Mulch well

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