

## Butterfly Larva Host Plants — PNW

**Common wood nymph** – Andropogon (Bluestem), Hesperostipa spartea (Porcupinegrass)

**Gray hairstreak** – Baptisia australis (False indigo), Lespedeza (Bush clover), Lupinus (Lupine), Trifolium (Clover), Vicia (Vetch), Hibiscus (Hibiscus), Malva (Mallow) Crataegus (Hawthorn), among other plants

**Great spangled fritillary, meadow fritillary, Zerene fritillary** – violets (and only violets! A good reason not to kill violets in your lawn!)

**Milbert's tortoiseshell** – Urtica dioica (Stinging nettle)

**Monarch** – Asclepias (Milkweed)

**Mourning cloak** – Salix (Willow), Populus (Cottonwood), Betula (Birch), Ulmus (Elm), Humulus lupulus (Hops), Fraxinus americana (White ash), Tilia americana (Basswood)

**Painted lady** – Achillea (Yarrow), Lupinus (Lupine), Borago officinalis (Borage), Helianthus annuus (Sunflower), Chenopodium album (Lambsquarters), Salvia (Sage)

**Red admiral** – Urtica (Nettle), Humulus lupulus (Hops)

**Two-tailed swallowtail** – Fraxinus ornus (Flowering ash), Prunus virginiana (Chokecherry), Ptelea trifoliata (Common hoptree)

**Western tiger swallowtail** – Fraxinus ornus (Flowering ash), Populus tremuloides (Aspen), Salix (Willow)

<http://www.thebutterflysite.com/washington-butterflies.shtml> — Butterflies of Washington. Lots of great info about these butterflies about and many more, their range, their preferred food, etc.