

# *Betula pendula* 'Youngii'

## Young's Weeping Birch



### SEASONAL COLOURS



### TYPES OF PLANTING

**Tree types:** standard trees, half-stem trees, characteristic trees

### USE

**Location:** park, large garden, cemetery | **Pavement:** none | **Planting concepts:** Prairie planting

### CHARACTERISTICS

**Crown shape:** wide weeping | **Crown structure:** semi-open | **Height:** 4 - 6 m | **Width:** 6 - 8 m | **Winter hardiness zone:** 2A - 9B

### ASPECTS

**Wind:** slightly tolerant to wind, tolerant to wind | **Soil:** loess, sabulous clay, peaty, light clay, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level:** low in nutrients, moderately rich in nutrients, rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level:** dry, moist | **Light requirements:** sun | **pH range:** acidic, neutral, alkaline | **Host plant/forage plant:** bees, butterflies, nectar value 0, pollen value 1 | **Extreme environments:** tolerant to dryness

### PLANTKENMERKEN

**Flowers:** catkins, pendulous | **Flowering period:** April - April | **Leaf colour:** green | **Leaves:** deciduous, ovate, doubly serrate | **Autumn colour:** yellow | **Bark colour:** white | **Bark:** peeling, furrowed | **Twig colour:** grey-brown | **Twigs:** zigzagging, horizontal branches, pendulous, finely branched | **Root system:** shallow, highly branched, many hair roots

