**RHS MALVERN SPRING FESTIVAL 2024 BIOSECURITY POLICY & REGULATIONS**

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Women standing next to each other

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Please read the **RHS Shows Biosecurity Policy & Regulations** in full and refer to it when sourcing and selecting plants/plant material ahead of the Festival.

**The RHS Biosecurity team carry-out plant health and compliance inspections** 2 days before the Festival opens. If required, please provide relevant UK plant **passports and documentation**. Plants may be removed at the discretion of the RHS.



**Environmental Note**

**PLASTIC/ARTIFICAL plants** and grasses are **prohibited** from the site for this Show. For further information regarding plastic use restrictions at the Festival please refer to the Exhibitor Manual pages 36, 37 & 48.

**Navigating the RHS Shows Biosecurity Policy & Regulations document**

* Banned plant species are listed under sections 1.3 first bullet point, 1.6 & 1.8
* Restricted plant species & specifications are listed under sections 1.3 second bullet point, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6 & 1.7.
* Plant passporting is covered under section 1.2.

**Contacts**

For questions related to Biosecurity & Plant Health at RHS Shows please email: [**showsplanthealth@rhs.org.uk**](mailto:showsplanthealth@rhs.org.uk)

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