

SUNSHINE COAST - BUTTERFLY LARVAL FOOD PLANTS - partial list

Alder leaves	Dreamy Duskywing, Pale Sw-tail, Western Tiger S-tail, Green Comma, Mourning Cloak
Angelica	Anise S-tail
Apples	Satyr Comma, Lorquin's Admiral, Western Tiger Sw-tail, Mourning Cloak
Arbutus	Brown Elfin, Echo Azure
Big leaf maple	Western Tiger S-tail,
Birch	Compton's Tortoiseshell
Bitter Cherry	Western Tiger S-tail, Pale Sw-tail, Echo Azure, Lorquin's Admiral
Bittercress (Cardamine spp.)	Margined White
Black Cottonwood	Mourning Cloak, Western Tiger Sw-tail
Blueberry	Green Comma
Bog Cranberry (Vaccinium oxycoccus)	Mariposa Copper
Bog Bilberry (Vaccinium uliginosum)	Mariposa Copper
Brassicas	Cabbage White, Western White
Broad-leaved Dock (Rumex obtusifolius)	Purplish Copper
Burdock	Painted Lady
Cascara	Pale Sw-tail,
Checkermallows (Sidalcea)	Two-banded Checkered Skipper
Chokecherry	Pale Sw-tail, Echo Azure, Lorquin's Admiral

Clovers/Alfalfa
Conifers
Cow Parsnip
Dwarf Mistletoe
Red-osier dogwood
Elderberry
Festuca Idahoensis

Grasses & sedges

Hardhack

Huckleberry (Red) (Vaccinium)

Kinnikinnick
Labrador Tea
Legumes peas
Lodgepole & Shore Pine
Lomatium sp. (Barestem Parsley, Spring Gold)
Lupine - dwarf alpine
Lupines
Manzanita
Milkvetch (Astragalus)
Oregon Grape
Ocean Spray

Clouded Sulphur
Pine White, Cedar Hairstreak
Anise Swallowtail
Johnson's Hairstreak
Echo Azure
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Oregon Branded Skipper

Woodland Skipper, Common Woodnymph,
Greater Arctic
Pale Sw-tail, Echo Azure, Mourning Cloak

Mariposa Copper, Echo Azure, Zephyr
Comma, Brown Elfin
Brown Elfin,
Brown Elfin,
Anise Swallowtail, Gray Hairstreak
Western Pine Elfin
Anise Swallowtail,
Silvery Blue
Clouded Sulphur
Brown Elfin,
Western Tailed Blue
Brown Elfin,
Pale Sw-tail, Brown Elfin, Echo Azure,

Pacific Bleeding Heart
Pacific Ninebark
Pacific Silverweed
Parsley
Peavine (Lathyrus nevadensis)
Pearly Everlasting
Red-berried Elder
Red-flowering currant
Red Huckleberry (Vaccinium)
Red-osier dogwood
Redstem Ceanothus
Rockcresses
Roses
Salal
Saskatoon
Sheep's Sorrel (Rumex acetosella)
Scoulers willow
Sea-watch

Strawberries - native

Stinging nettle

Clodius Apollo
Anise Swallowtail, Echo Azure
Purplish Copper

Western Tailed Blue
Painted Lady
Echo Azure
Zephyr Comma
Mariposa Copper, Echo Azure, Zephyr Comma
Echo Azure
California Tortoiseshell
Margined White, Flora Orangetip
Mourning cloak, Gray Hairstreak
Brown Elfin, ?Echo Azure
Pale S-tail, Brown Elfin
Purplish Copper
Western Tiger Sw-tail
Anise Sw-tail

Two-banded Checkered Skipper, Gray Hairstreak (Virginia S-berry)

Satyr Comma, Milbert's Tortoiseshell, Red Admiral, (West Coast Lady), Painted Lady

Thistles

Vetches

Violets

Western Red-cedar

Western Dwarf Mistletoe

Willow spp.

White Rhododendron

Painted Lady, Mylitta Crescent, Red
Admiral

Clouded Sulphur, Western Tailed Blue

Pacific Meadow Fritillary, Hydaspe Fritillary

Cedar Hairstreak

Johnson's Hairstreak

Western Tiger S-tail, Green Comma,
Mourning Cloak, Lorquin's Admiral,
Dreamy Duskywing, Compton's T-shell
Zephyr Comma, Green Comma