Hakonechloa (Japanese Forest)

Location: Zone 4/5, part shade

Shape: Spreading clump

Foliage: Variegated green and gold

Flowers: Summer to fall

Notes: Listed as a zone 5 but does well in zone 4 if protected. Best grown in consistently moist, well-drained soils in part shade. Tolerates close to full shade. Mulch in the winter.

All Gold • Hakonechloa macra 'All Gold'

12-15" x 18-24"

Part sun

Zone 4/5

An all-gold variety with brighter coloring, cascading leaves, and a more upright habit. It tends to be chartreuse in shade, and brighter gold in more sun. A vigorous grower that spreads slowly through rhizomes. Needs well-drained soil.



Golden Variegated • Hakonechloa macra 'Aureola'

12-18" x 12-18"

Part sun

Zone 4/5

Spreading clump of bright variegated green and gold foliage. Yellow-green seed heads are present from July to September. Mulch well when planted in zone 4.

