# Native threatened

### plants for Auckland



#### Kakabeak *Clianthus puniceus*

- free draining soil
- protect from snails and rabbits



#### Shore spurge Euphorbia glauca

- Auckland form, spreading habit
- suitable for coastal sites
- protect from snails



#### Sand coprosma Coprosma acerosa

- good groundcover
- free draining soil



#### Creeping fuchsia Fuchsia procumbens

- prefers light shade
- ground cover

These Star Performers are plants of proven excellence in suitable conditions in Auckland. Do your bit for plant conservation by growing some threatened New Zealand native plants. Many make attractive garden subjects.





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Napuka *Hebe speciosa* 

- sunny, free draining soil
- healthiest in windy sites



#### Muehlenbeckia astonii

- divaricating shrub
- · use for hedging or topiary



Toothed lancewood Pseudopanax ferox

- tolerates wind
- distinctive adult or juvenile foliage



Three Kings vine Tecomanthe speciosa

- tropical vine
- frost tender
- vigorous

#### **Recipe for success:**

- · Most grow well in average soils that are not too wet
- Although these plants are threatened in their wild habitat, they are easy to grow
- Recommended planting time is autumn
- The planting hole should be twice the diameter of the root ball
- Plant the top of the root ball at the same level as the soil
- · Little ongoing maintenance is required

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