



Best bromeliads

for Auckland



Aechmea fasciata

- prefers partial shade
- long lasting flower



Aechmea recurvata

- prefers full sun
- centers turn red when flowering



Alcantarea imperialis 'Rubra'

- prefers sun, large
- dies after flowering



Alcantarea vinicolor

- prefers full sun
- 1m tall

These Star Performers are plants of proven excellence in suitable conditions in Auckland. Most bromeliads are epiphytes, which grow on trees, and can be planted as single specimens or in mass.



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***Neoregelia* 'Fireball'**

- prefers full sun
- small plant, groundcover



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***Vriesea fosteriana* 'Rubra'**

- prefers part sun
- tall



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Vriesea hieroglyphica

- prefers partial shade
- tall



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***Vriesea platynema* 'Variegata'**

- prefers partial shade

Recipe for success:

- Select a site with free draining soil
- Water by topping up the cups. Only occasionally water the roots lightly
- Bromeliads can be frost tender so avoid planting in winter
- Little ongoing maintenance is required

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