Latin Name: *Ficus benjamina* Common Name: Benjamin's Fig

Family: Moraceae

Geographic Origin: Asia

Soil: Use a well-draining soil mix.

<u>Temperature:</u> Daytime temperatures should be between 70°-80°F and nighttime temperatures should be between 60°-70°F.

<u>Light:</u> Place in an area that is partially shaded.



<u>Moisture:</u> Water every two-three days, allowing the plant to dry out a little between watering.

<u>Fertilization:</u> This plant should be fertilized every other week, alternating between fish and seaweed fertilizers.

Grooming: Repot every two-three years. Prune when needed.

<u>Seasonal Care:</u> Reduce watering and fertilizing during summer months.

Propagation: Propagate through stem cuttings.

<u>Pests and diseases:</u> Check for root rot, scale, and mealy bugs.

Latin Name: Ficus palmeri Common Name: Rock Fig

Family: Moraceae

Geographic Origin: Mexico

Soil: This plant prefers a rocky, well-draining soil

<u>Temperature:</u> Daytime temperatures should be between 70°-80°F and nighttime temperatures should be between 80°-90°F.

<u>Light:</u> Place in an area of full sun to partial shade.

Moisture: Water every two to three days.



<u>Fertilization:</u> This plant should be fertilized every other week, alternating between fish and seaweed fertilizers.

Grooming: Repot every two to three years. Prune back unwanted growth.

Seasonal Care: Reduce watering and fertilizing during winter months.

<u>Propagation:</u> Propagate through seeds, air layering, or stem cuttings.

Pests and diseases: Check for whitefly, mealy bugs, and scale.