



PLANT A JABAL MOUSSA NATIVE TREE LET THE FOREST REACH YOUR GARDEN!

We, at the Association for the Protection of Jabal Moussa, are growing trees from our own seeds - sowing seeds that we collect from **Jabal Moussa UNESCO Biosphere Reserve**.

We are growing seedlings for a purpose - being committed to conservation, we grow endangered and rare species from the mountain with the aim of perpetuating and expanding their presence.

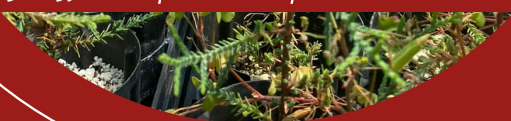
Grown seedlings are of high quality with demonstrated high survival rates when planted in the wild by nationwide reforestation organizations such as our faithful partners Jouzour Loubnan and Lebanon Reforestation Initiative.

We are growing 40,000 seedlings per year in local native tree nurseries in Yahchouch, a village surrounding Jabal Moussa, contributing to our dual mission of conservation and development. We are looking forward to providing projects and individuals with our seedlings

Check our seedlings catalogue below, and contact us for your orders or inquiries: 71-944405 info@jabalmoussa.org



Mediterranean cypress - Cyprès d'Italie -
سرو متوسط - *Cupressus sempervirens*



Age: 2 years old

Pot: D27

Height: 30 cm

Price: 1.5 USD

- Mediterranean Cypress is native to this region, can be found all over the region near Lebanon like Italy, Syria, Greece, and Egypt.
- Medium sized conifer tree that can reach 35 m in height.
- The leaves are tiny scale like with a nice fragrance. The cones are very decorative and stay on the stems for long time.
- Cultivated as ornamental, it takes very well drought and heat.



Umbrella pine, Stone pine - Pin pignon
صنوبر جوي - *Pinus pinea*



Age: 3 years old

Pot: Tree pot

Height: 120 cm

Price: 8 USD

- Typical Mediterranean pine species, known for its wide curved crown (Umbrella Pine) and its edible seeds (pine nuts)
- Successfully growing on low altitudes, sensitive to cold temperatures, able to grow on sandy soils
- Suitable for planting below 1,000 meters (even though able to survive on higher altitudes)



Calabrian Pine - Pin de calabre
- صنوبر برّي - *Pinus brutia*

Age: 2 years old
Pot: D27
Height: 30 cm
Price: 3 USD

- The Calabrian Pine is a pine species native to the eastern Mediterranean and the Middle East
- Its seeds are not edible
- In Lebanon, the altitudes of its occurrence range from sea level up to 1200/1700
- The trees can be up to 25 meters high



Turkey Oak - Chêne de Turquie - عذر
- *Quercus cerris*

Age: 3 years old
Pot: Tree pot
Height: 30 cm
Price: 3 USD

- Large deciduous tree native to southern and central Europe and the Middle East
- Valued for its strong, durable wood and ecological importance in forest ecosystems
- Commonly used in reforestation and as a source of firewood and timber
- Produces acorns enclosed in distinctive, bristly cups
- Found in Jabal Moussa on sunny slopes and rocky calcareous soils



Cyprus oak - Chêne tinctorial
- عفص - *Quercus infectoria*

Age: 2 years old / 3 years old
Pot: D 27 / Tree pot
Height: 30 cm / 65 cm
Price: 2 USD / 3 USD

- Very common on a wide range of altitudes wherever the soil depth allows it to root deep
- Leaves change their color in autumn before they fall
- Fast growing in young age; growing to become a tall tree
- Suitable for planting between 500 to 1,500 meters on the Western side of Lebanon mountain range, on lower altitudes in river valleys and on higher sites on the Anti-Lebanon range with deep soils



Kermes oak - Chêne vert - سنديان -
Quercus calliprinos

Age: 3 years old
Pot: D 27 / Tree pot
Height: 30 cm / 60 cm
Price: 2USD / 3 USD

- Evergreen oaks with spiky leaves that forms dense forest cover even on steep slopes
- One of the most resistant tree species of the country; very draught resistant
- Important species for planting on Anti-Lebanon range
- Suitable for planting on range of altitudes from sea level up to 1,500 meters



Carob - Caroubier - خروب -
Ceratonia siliqua

Age: 2 years old / 3 years old
Pot: D27 / Tree pot
Height: 35 cm / 50 cm
Price: 2 USD / 3 USD

- Evergreen with interesting leaves and flowers
- Both useful for nature-oriented forestation and for agricultural purpose
- Suitable for planting on lower altitudes near sea level up to 500 meters, in humid river valleys or on northern slopes on altitudes up to 700 meters



Common almond - Amandier -
لوز برّي - *Prunus amygdalus*

Age: 2 years old / 3 years old
Pot: D27 / Tree pot
Height: 60 cm / 70 cm
Price: 3 USD / 5 USD

- Wild form of almond
- Tree crown completely white during blossom
- Durable plant
- Suitable for planting on higher altitudes between 1,000 to 1,500 meters



Syrian pear - Poirier de Syrie
اجاص بري - *Pyrus syriaca*

Age: 2 years old / 3 years old
Pot: D27 / Tree pot
Height: 60 cm / 70 cm
Price: 3 USD / 5 USD

- Deciduous tree, 5-8 m in height
- It is most notable in the beginning of Spring, when it is covered with a splendid white inflorescence
- At the end of summer, its edible yellow/gold fruits ripen, tasting similarly to the domesticated pears



Bear Plum - Prunier des ours
خوخ الدبّ - *Prunus ursina*

Age: 2 years old / 3 years old
Pot: D27 / Tree pot
Height: 45 cm / 70 cm
Price: 3 USD / 5 USD

- Deciduous tree, 4-8 m in height
- It is a relative of the Almond with a similar habitus and beautiful white flowers in Spring
- It bears fruits in summer, the wild plum, with a pleasant sour flavor
- The fruits can be eaten in small amounts only, and will improve respiration and digestion; however, excessive
- consumption of the fruit can be highly toxic



Azarole - Azérolier - زعرور أصفر - *Crataegus azarolus*

- Age:** 2 years old
Pot: Tree pot
Height: 30 cm
Price: 3 USD
- Small deciduous tree or large shrub native to the Mediterranean region
 - Produces small, edible yellow to orange fruits valued for their culinary and medicinal uses
 - Known for its dense, thorny branches, often used as a natural hedge or protective barrier
 - Blooms with white flowers in late spring, attracting pollinators
 - Occurs in Jabal Moussa on sunny, well-drained calcareous soils



Common hawthorn - Aubépine fruit rougeâtre - زعرور - *Crataegus monogyna*

- Age:** 2 years old / 3 years old
Pot: D27 / Tree pot
Height: 50 cm / 110 cm
Price: 3 USD / 7 USD
- Shrub or small tree found in Europe, the Mediterranean and the Middle East
 - Economically important species due to its medicinal value and its edible berries
 - Extensively planted as a boundary hedge plant due to its thorny stems
 - Produces aromatic flowers in late spring, followed by the sought after red fruits
 - Occurs in Jabal Moussa on locations that are exposed to sunlight, preferably on calcareous sites



Turkish apple - Pommier à trois lobes - تفاح برّي - *Malus trilobata*

- Age:** 2 years old
Pot: D 27
Height: 70 cm
Price: 5 USD
- Small deciduous tree native to the Eastern Mediterranean region
 - Produces small, red, edible fruits that are valued locally for consumption
 - Known for its attractive foliage and seasonal blossoms, with white flowers appearing in spring
 - Often used ornamentally and plays a role in supporting local wildlife
 - Occurs in Jabal Moussa on sunny, rocky slopes with well-drained calcareous soils



Manna ash - Frêne à fleurs - المران الزهري - *Fraxinus ornus*

- Age:** 3 years old
Pot: D 27
Height: 45 cm
Price: 3 USD
- Deciduous tree native to southern Europe and the eastern Mediterranean
 - Valued for its fragrant white flowers that bloom in late spring, used traditionally for syrup production (manna)
 - Wood is durable and used for furniture and carpentry
 - Often planted ornamentally and plays an important ecological role in local forests
 - Occurs in Jabal Moussa on sunny slopes and calcareous soils with good drainage



Spanish broom - Genêt d'Espagne-
وژال - *Spartium junceum*



Age: 2 years old

Pot: D27

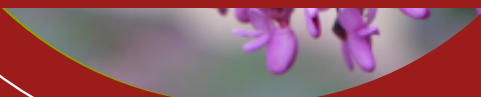
Height: 50 cm

Price: 2 USD

- Evergreen shrub native to the Mediterranean region
- Known for its bright yellow, fragrant flowers that bloom in late spring and summer
- Often used for soil stabilization and ornamental purposes due to its drought tolerance
- Occurs in Jabal Moussa on dry, sunny slopes and rocky calcareous terrains



Judas tree - Arbre de Judée -
زمزريق - *Cercis siliquastrum*



Age: 2 years old / 3 years old

Pot: D27 / Tree pot

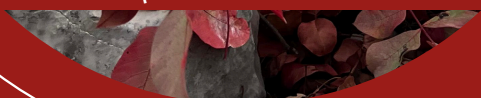
Height: 35 cm / 75 cm

Price: 2 USD / 5 USD

- Small deciduous tree native to the Mediterranean region and the Middle East
- Admired for its striking pink flowers that bloom in early spring before the leaves appear
- Commonly planted as an ornamental tree for its vibrant color and heart-shaped leaves
- Occurs in Jabal Moussa on rocky slopes and well-drained calcareous soils exposed to sunlight



Palestine Pistachio - Pistachier de
Palestine - بطم - *Pistacia palaestina*



Age: 2 years old

Pot: D27

Height: 35 cm

Price: 2 USD

- Deciduous tree, 3-5 m in height
- It colors Jabal Moussa mountain in Autumn with its red leaves, and in Spring with its red fruits
- It can grow in extreme conditions such as drought, salt, full sun and heat
- Grafting Pistacia vera (the domesticated pistachio) on Pistacia palaestina is possible



Laurel - Laurier nobles - غار -
Laurus nobilis



Age: 2 years old

Pot: Tree pot

Height: 35 cm

Price: 2 USD

- A sacred tree since ancient times
- Evergreen with aromatic leaves popular for cooking
- Suitable for planting on humid sites not exposed to too much sun, ideally in river valleys, or otherwise on slopes up to 1,000 meters (western side of Lebanon mountain range)