TAYLOR'S
LANDSCAPE SUPPLY & NURSERY

Cleyera

Ternstroemia gymnanthera

Plant care guide



SUN
Full sun to part shade

WATER
Moderate

MATURE SIZE
8–10 ft tall, 5–6 ft wide

BLOOM TIME
Not showy · red-tinted new leaves

USDA ZONE
7–9 · fits 8b/9a

Planting	**Best in fall.** Dig 2–5× as wide as the root ball, no deeper; set it level or slightly high. Sun to part shade; space 4-5 ft for a screen.
Watering	**First months:** keep the root ball moist, not soggy. **Established:** water in dry spells.
Soil & Mulch	Moist, acid, well-drained soil. 2–3 in. of mulch, off the stems. Ask us about Taylor's soil and mulch.
Fertilizer	**Water, not food, matters most at first.** Feed only if growth is weak or a soil test calls for it; use slow-release.
Pruning	**Shape in late winter;** takes shearing as a hedge.
Lowcountry Tip	Glossy leaves with red-bronze new growth. Salt tolerant.