TAYLOR'S
LANDSCAPE SUPPLY & NURSERY

Oakleaf Hydrangea

Hydrangea quercifolia

Plant care guide



SUN
Part shade · morning sun

WATER
Moderate

MATURE SIZE
4–8 ft tall, 4–10 ft wide

BLOOM TIME
Late spring · white cones age pink

USDA ZONE
5–9 · fits 8b/9a

Planting	**Best in fall.** Dig 2–5× as wide as the root ball, no deeper; set it level or slightly high. Morning sun and afternoon shade are best here.
Watering	**First months:** keep the root ball moist, not soggy. **Established:** water in dry spells; avoid wet spots.
Soil & Mulch	Moist, well-drained soil. No standing water. 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	**Prune right after bloom;** it blooms on old wood.
Lowcountry Tip	Native. Big oak-shaped leaves turn red-purple in fall; peeling bark.