

TILLANDSIAS

Even more than other bromeliads, Tillandsias are air plants much like vandaceous orchids. You can enjoy your tillandsia plant for years of blooming and “pupping” with good light, fresh air, and adequate water.

They Prefer:

- Light, airy conditions
- Daily misting (in areas of low humidity)
- Protection from any freeze
- Greener & softer varieties need more water and shade

Growing conditions:

- Natural habitat is outside, attached to shade trees
 - Can be grown inside in sunny area but will require daily misting
- Water by submerging in water with a mild fertilizer (1/2 teaspoons of fish emulsion) for several hours - do not leave in water for more than 1 day
- Do not over water, especially in cooler weather
 - Never plant in depressions or cavities where water could collect
 - Drill holes in mounting shells for drainage
 - Use moss to hide hanging mechanics, but use the minimum possible

Propagation:

- Grow additional plants from the seeds
- Divide by separating “pups” from “Mother” plant
- Clumping varieties can be grown together or separate clumps to form new plants.

The logo for Southwood features the word "Southwood" in a stylized, cursive script font. A decorative leaf-like flourish is positioned to the left of the letter 'S'.