

Summary of public comments:

Draft tree planting plan for Perrett Park

November 2023

A draft tree planting plan was circulated to residents and displayed in locations on the street. In addition, it was added to the consultation page on the Bristol City Council website and Friends of Groups were given the opportunity to respond.

Thank you to everyone for your comments.

We have responded to the comments as received below with more detail as a point of record.

What happens next?

Tree planting will take place between December 2023 – March 2024

Comments received: We have given these comments consideration and provide responses below:

How will the trees be maintained?	All trees planted by OTPC are regularly maintained by our dedicated volunteer team.
What species will be planted?	We will be planting native woodland species such as Hazel, Hawthorn and Field Maple.
What size will the trees be when planted?	All trees will be between 60-80cm in height when planted. They will be planted with a bamboo cane for support, a biodegradable spiral guard, and a biodegradable mulch mat to suppress weeds in the first growing season.
Trees may increase antisocial behaviour?	New trees will be 60-80cm in height when first planted. We have reviewed species choice and spacing and will plant smaller, thorny shrub species closest to the access track to act as a natural barrier to help discourage antisocial behaviour.
Have park users been considered?	Yes, park users have been considered and given an opportunity to respond to the community consultation.
Can the plan be extended to include new trees on the opposite side of the park, closer to the allotments?	Thank you for your comments, we will pursue additional planting locations for future planting season.
More information could be included in the plans such as species and tree size.	We will review our consultation process. All trees will be native, woodland species. When planted they will be between 60-80cm in height.
We fully support this plan.	Thank you for your comments.

Visit the Bristol City Council Webpage [for more information on One Tree Per Child community planting and woodland maintenance events.](#)

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