

River birch has a narrow, oval to pyramidal crown when young, that spreads wider with age. It is distinguished by bronze colored bark that peels off in film-like papery curls. River birch are best grown well spaced to produce single specimens. Clumps planting produces weak, vulnerable trunks. Branches have a drooping form and pruning is recommended while trees are young to remove lower branches. Would do very well on the edge of a wetland, very aesthetically pleasing.

