

## Nellie R. Stevens Holly

Ilex x 'Nellie R. Stevens'



Form: Broad Pyramidal

Growth Rate: Fast

Drought Tolerance: Moderate
Salt Tolerance: Moderate **Light Requirements:** Full sun or partial shade may need some protection from afternoon sun to prevent leaf scorch.

**Zone:** 6-9

Soil Requirements: Well-drained, moderately acidic soil avoid wet sites.

Bark: Dense branching

Flower: Small flowers that appear in spring

Fruit: A heavy fruiter, bright red berries appear in the fall

and remain through winter.

Foliage: Glossy dark green leaves are leathery and have spinose teeth. Bullate leaves with 1-3 spines along margin. Leaves

consistently vary in number spines.

Uses: Specimen, barrier, hedge, or screen planting. Showy red

fruit add winter interest.