



Morus alba 'Nana'



Height	2 -3.5 m
Crown	round, dark, dense crown
Bark and branches	twigs green, bark grey-brown, grooved
Leaf	wide ovate to heart-shaped, little lobed, glossy dark green, 5 - 7 cm
Autumn colour	yellow
Flowers	unknown
Fruits	unknown, edible fruits
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	light and well drained, preferably calcareous
Soil moisture	suitable for dry soil
Paving	tolerates no paving
Winter hardiness zone	5a (-28,8 to -26,1 °C)
Wind resistance	fairly
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Application	parks, squares, tree containers, large gardens, small gardens, patio gardens
Origin	Hungary

Small, spherical shrub with somewhat tangled, dense branching. Grafted as sphere onto standard and then has height of approx. 3.5 m. The young twigs are green, the mature bark is grey-brown and regularly grooved. The leaf is broad ovate to heart-shaped and little lobed, only on the leaf base, sometimes deeper. It is approx. 7 cm long, significantly smaller than the species. The margin of the glossy dark green leaf is sharply serrated. In autumn the leaf turns yellow. Morus alba is naturally monoecious. There are various clones of 'Nana' in culture. One of them is male: sex of other clones is unknown. After the inconspicuous blossom there is not usually any fruit. Preferably plant in a sunny, warm and sheltered site. Favours calcareous soils and grows in infertile soil.