



Springboro Tree Farms

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Bald Cypress

SCIENTIFIC NAME: *Taxodium distichum*

FAMILY: Cupressaceae

ORIGIN: Southeastern United States.

We are always looking to diversify the population of trees here at the farm. And to this end, we rely on our foresters Mike and Jennifer Warner of Arbor Terra Consulting to make recommendation and select sites for testing species. They suggested Bald Cypress for a specific location on the farm and we planted this tree in 2021. It's a fairly wet area by the pond. Let's see how it likes its new home.

The scientific name for Bald Cypress is *Taxodium distichum*. It is a deciduous conifer in the family Cupressaceae. It is native to the southeastern United States. Hardy and tough, this tree adapts to a wide range of soil types, whether wet, salty, dry, or swampy. It is noted for the russet-red fall color of its lacy needles.

