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Shrub Bed Gradings for Monitors



Grade 1

Predominantly free from weed, although may include recent germination. Good coverage of healthy plant material. Well defined edges and free from residual litter. Pleasant visual appearance.



Grade 2

Fairly weed free, some light annual weeds may be present before treatment. Plant material healthy, but may be gaps where new material is establishing. Largely free from litter, dead leaves may be present in Autumn/Winter.



Grade 3

Partial coverage of weed including coarser weeds such as docks. Plant material over-mature and deteriorating possibly either sparse or overcrowded. Some overhanging borders. Some litter. Appearance of slight neglect. Note despite adequate ongoing maintenance mature shrub beds periodically need re-landscaping.



Grade 4

Heavy infestation of coarse and woody weeds such as brambles or nettles. Shrubs overhanging borders and including dead or damaged material. Extensive trapped residual litter. Unsatisfactory visual appearance. No obvious maintenance. Note ensure this is not a low intervention site managed to favour nature conservation.