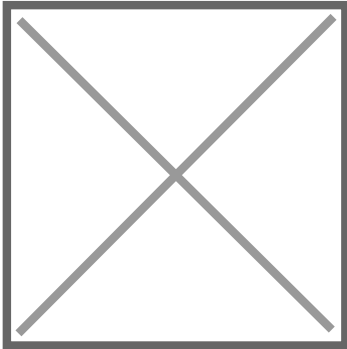




## Salix xsepulcralis 'Chrysocoma'



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| <b>Height</b>                | 20(25) m                                                                           |
| <b>Width</b>                 | 15-20m                                                                             |
| <b>Crown</b>                 | broad weeping, half-open crown, capricious growing                                 |
| <b>Bark and branches</b>     | brown, grey                                                                        |
| <b>Leaf</b>                  | green, yellowgreen                                                                 |
| <b>Autumn colour</b>         | yellow                                                                             |
| <b>Flowers</b>               | yellow, flowers in April                                                           |
| <b>Fruits</b>                | fruitless cultivar                                                                 |
| <b>Spines/thorns</b>         | None                                                                               |
| <b>Toxicity</b>              | usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock                            |
| <b>Soil type</b>             | clayed soil, loamy soil, sandy soil, peaty soil, all soil types                    |
| <b>Soil moisture</b>         | suitable for wet soil, withstand short flood, withstand long flood                 |
| <b>Paving</b>                | tolerates no paving                                                                |
| <b>Winter hardiness zone</b> | 5a (-28,8 to -26,1 °C)                                                             |
| <b>Wind resistance</b>       | good                                                                               |
| <b>Other resistances</b>     | resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind                                  |
| <b>Fauna tree</b>            | resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, valuable for bees (honey plant) |
| <b>Shape</b>                 | clearstem tree, multi-stem treem                                                   |
| <b>Synonyms</b>              | Salix alba 'Tristis'                                                               |

Salix xsepulcralis 'Chrysocoma', or weeping willow, reaches a height of 20-25 metres and is notable for its broad weeping, jagged crown. The bark is brown to grey and changes as the tree ages. The leaves, initially yellow-green, turn bright yellow in autumn. Yellow flowers appear in April. This willow tolerates wet soil and can withstand flooding, but does not tolerate paving. The tree is hardy to -28.8 °C and wind resistant. As a gestation tree, it provides food for bees, making it useful for biodiversity. Suitable for both tall-stemmed and multi-stemmed forms, this weeping willow is ideal for parks and large gardens.