

# West Bengal State, INDIA

## Selected MEDICINAL PLANTS of West Bengal

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**1** *Harkuch Kanta*  
Acanthaceae *Acanthus ilicifolius*



**2** *Jagat Madan*  
Acanthaceae *Justicia gendarussa*



**3** *Thankuni*  
Apiaceae *Centella asiatica*



**4** *Saptaparni*  
Apocynaceae *Alstonia scholaris*



**5** *Kuksim*  
Asteraceae *Cyanthillium cinereum*



**6** *Keshuti*  
Asteraceae *Eclipta prostrata*



**7** *Akash Neem*  
Bignoniaceae *Millingtonia hortensis*



**8** *Kolmishak*  
Convolvulaceae *Ipomoea aquatica*



**9** *Telakucho*  
Cucurbitaceae *Coccinia grandis*



**10** *Reri*  
Euphorbiaceae *Ricinus communis*



**11** *Bandarlathi*  
Fabaceae *Cassia fistula*



**12** *Ashoka*  
Fabaceae *Saraca asoca*



**13** *Tulsi*  
Lamiaceae *Ocimum tenuiflorum*



**14** *Pakur*  
Malvaceae *Thespesia populnea*



**15** *Nim*  
Meliaceae *Azadirachta indica*



**16** *Amrul*  
Oxalidaceae *Oxalis corniculata*



**17** *Anantalata*  
Polygonaceae *Antigonon leptopus*



**18** *Kankra*  
Rhizophoraceae *Bruguiera gymnorrhiza*



**19** *Pani-joma*  
Salicaceae *Salix tetrasperma*



**20** *Ghritokumari*  
Xanthorrhoeaceae *Aloe vera*