Overcup Oak
*Quercus lyrata*

**Category:** Deciduous  
**Growth Rate:** Medium  
**Adaptability:** Full sun  
**Shape:** Round to Oval  
**Size:** 40-60’ tall, 40-60’ wide  
**Fall Color:** Yellow–brown, sometimes orange and red  

**Description:** Overcup Oak gets its name from the distinctive bur-like acorn that encloses 2/3 to almost all of the nut. Acorns do not appear until they reach 25-30 years old. Large shade tree or lawn tree. Slightly shaggy gray to grayish-brown bark on mature trees is reminiscent of the White Oak.