

## Asian Plants and Trees - Marco Polo Plants

*Marcopolo Plants*

### Edgeworthia chrysantha



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**Common name:** Edgeworthia papyrifera, Oriental Paper Bush.

**Height:** 1-1,5M

**Soil:** well drained soil. Full sun to half shade.

**Flowering:** Bright yellow and white flowers.

**Hardiness:** [hardiness rating 3.](#)

Edgeworthia papyrifera is a deciduous shrub. Bears bright yellow to white flowers on bare stems in winter to early spring. (also red cultivar). Edgeworthia is being used in China for production of high quality paper.

The Himalayan Buddhist monks made paper from the bark of Edgeworthia and wrote their holy texts on them!

Native to China and Japan.

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