

Cultural Information – Senecio
(seh-NEE-shee-oh)

<u>Light:</u>	Full or partial sun, a southern, eastern or western exposure. The higher light, the better.
<u>Temperature:</u>	Maintain indoor temperatures above 40°.
<u>Humidity:</u>	As they are succulents, humidity is not an issue.
<u>Watering:</u>	Bring soil to a state of visual dryness between watering. When watering, thoroughly saturate soil until a little water runs out of the bottom of the pot. Growing in a clay pot will help maintain a healthy root system. More dryness will create a bushy plant.
<u>Fertilizer:</u>	Minimal fertilizer, once every two months. Use ¼ tsp of fertilizer per gallon of water. Use a balanced fertilizer like a 15-15-15 or 7-9-5.
<u>Pruning:</u>	The plant is a trailing vine so to maintain it as a bonsai; it needs to be periodically trimmed. Without regular pruning, the plant will vine.
<u>Insects and Disease:</u>	Not susceptible to insects or disease.