



4-H Forestry – Beginner (Grades 3-5) Record Sheet

Completed (40 possible)	_____
Accuracy of answers (30 possible)	_____
Appropriate grammar (15 possible)	_____
Neatness of record (15 possible)	_____
Total	_____
A = 86-100 points	
B = 71-85 points	
C = 70 points or less	

Record for Year _____

A completed record sheet is due by the last business day of May to exhibit each project at the fair.
Use any 4-H publications, the internet, the library, or a professional to help you prepare your responses.

The Basics

Name _____ 4-H Club _____

Years in 4-H _____ Grade _____ Years in Project _____

Planting the Seed

Using the word bank below, write the term next to its definition.

Broad leaf	Canopy	Conifer	Deciduous	Herbaceous
Needle leaf	Photosynthesis	Transpiration	Tree Ring	Understory

Term	Definition
	Type of tree that typically has cones and needles-shaped leaves
	Type of tree that sheds its leaves in the fall
	Leaf from a deciduous (hardwood) tree
	Leaf from a conifer tree
	Uppermost layer of branches and foliage in a group of trees
	Type of vegetation, usually grassy/leafy ground vegetation
	Trees growing under the top canopies in a forest
	Water released into the air from leaves; evaporation from plant cell tissues
	Process where plants turn carbon dioxide and water into carbohydrates and other compounds using energy from the sun
	Rings in a tree trunk equating to the years of tree growth

Setting Roots

Name five different tree species.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Identify the two types of trees, two parts of a tree, and three parts of a forest indicated below:



Leafing Out

Name three kinds of animals that live in trees.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Name three different climate types and a tree found in each:

Climate	Tree Found in the Climate

What products in your home come from forests? _____

Growing into the Future

Why is it important to protect forests? _____

Name two businesses or organizations in or near our community that work with trees.

1. _____
2. _____

What is one thing you learned or sparked your interest as a result of completing this project? _____

