

Tree Farming Merit Badge Worksheet

Requirement 1

In a field, point out fifteen different species of trees and wild shrubs. Give their names and chief uses.

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Requirement 2

What is the value of the forest in protecting soil and building fertility, regulating the water flow, wildlife management, and as recreational areas? _____

What watershed or other sources does your community obtain its water? _____

Requirement 3

Describe briefly the part that forest products play in everyday life? _____

Requirement 4

Take part in your town or community tree farming activities.

What is the meaning of forest management? _____

Requirement 5

Visit a public or private forest area or watershed.

On the back of this sheet, write a 300 word report on how the area is managed to grow repeated crop of trees to protect the watershed, support wildlife, or provide other services and benefits.