

Our City Forest Tree Quiz

True or False

- 1) It is fortunate that our American elm trees here in San Jose have not been infected with Dutch Elm disease.
- 2) The Canary Island Date Palm in this park was brought here from Palm Springs by truck.
- 3) The California Fan Palm is commonly found in Hawaii.
- 4) Dinosaurs might have munched on the leaves of the Gingko.
- 5) Cutting the top off a tree is illegal.
- 6) The Valley Oak can live to be 600 years old.
- 7) The bigger a shade tree is, the more air it cleans.
- 8) A single oak tree can provide food and shelter for more than 400 kinds of insects, birds, and animals.
- 9) Shade trees are sometimes called Mother Nature's air conditioners.
- 10) Coast Redwoods are the tallest trees on earth.
- 11) Valley Oaks come to us from the Shenandoah Valley.
- 12) The fruit of the California Fan palm can be eaten.
- 13) Tree Amigos are *Our City Forest's* trained volunteers.

Fill In the Blanks

1. The _____ is the California state tree.
2. The _____ tree has important cancer fighting properties.