

Leaf Collection Project



You are going to be taking a walking trip to the State Park where you need to collect 15 different leaves in which you will compile into a leave collection and turn in for a grade.

Collect the leaves and place them in the given zip lock bag. Rub, Press, or Scan as soon as possible to avoid drying out the leaves.



Collection Requirements:

Cover Page: Title page, Name, Date, Block

Each Page: 1 leaf centered per page

Mandatory information per leaf

1. Common name of leaf
2. Where & when you found it, town, state, date
3. Simple or compound leaf (which type of compound): Label the blade, leaflet, veins, petiole
4. List what type of venation pattern: Parallel, palmate, or pinnate
5. Margin type: Smooth, Serrated, Lobed

Rubbing: Place leaf under white computer paper and rub entire leaf with a pencil, colored pencil or crayon. Be sure to include all edges.

Pressing: Place leaf between to shiny sides of wax paper put a towel over it and press with a household iron.

Scanning: Place leaf under scanner, “top” side on glass. You must copy right your scan , place an index card with your name and date on it and scan it as you scan the leaf. No exceptions. Print out picture.



Grading Scale

15 Leaves = A	14 Leaves = A-	12 Leaves = B+
10 Leaves = B	9 Leaves = B-	7 Leaves = C