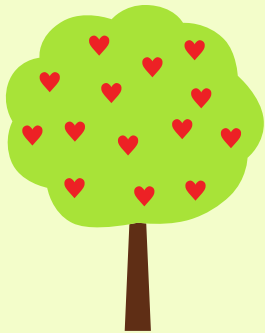


# TREE BENEFITS



## "TREASURE OUR TREES" YOUR STREET TREE IS STUPENDOUS!

### IMPROVE MENTAL HEALTH



Studies show being near trees can reduce stress levels by decreasing your blood pressure and slowing your heart rate.

### PROTECT WILDLIFE



Trees provide a home and protection to animals

### HELP US BREATHE



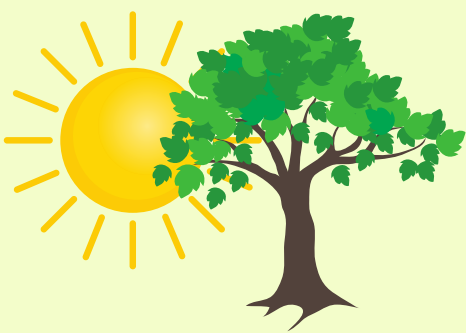
Through photosynthesis, trees produce oxygen

### COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE



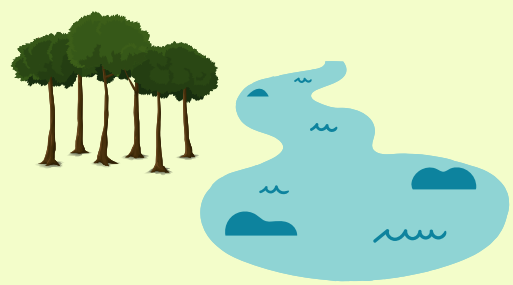
Trees absorb carbon-dioxide and convert it to oxygen

### PROVIDE SHADE



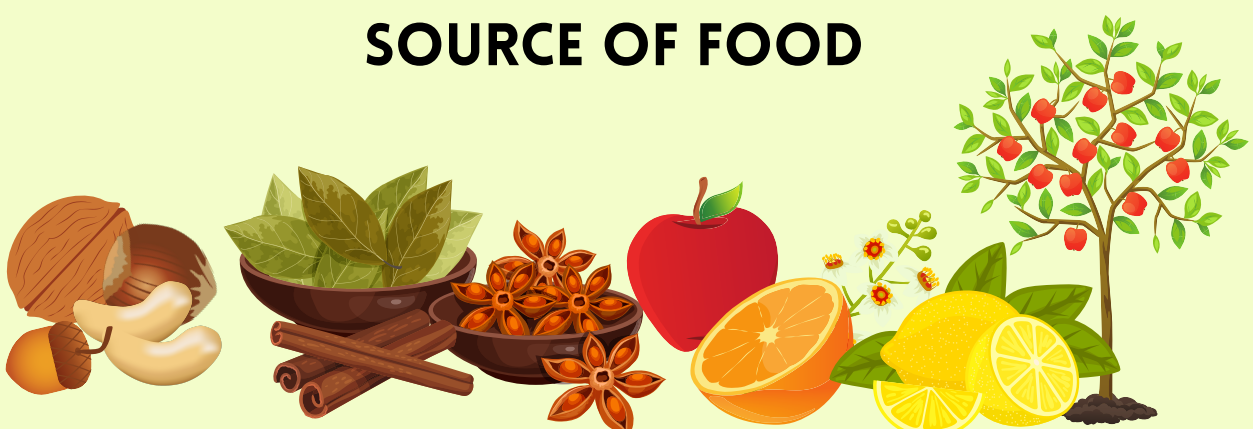
Trees provide shade and keep your home and car cooler

### PREVENT FLOODING



Trees help soak up excess water and keep soil in place

### SOURCE OF FOOD



Many parts of a tree are a source of food for people and animals: roots, leaves, flowers, fruits, seeds, nuts, pollens and sap.

# TREE CARE



## "TREASURE OUR TREES" YOUR STREET TREE IS STUPENDOUS!

### WATER YOUR TREE



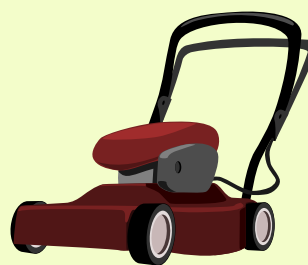
Each young tree needs about 15-20 gallons of water per week. Water slowly every few days so it doesn't run off the surface.

### ADD MULCH



Mulch will help keep soil moist, but don't mound it around the trunk. Say No to Mulch Volcanoes!

### KEEP SHARP OBJECTS AWAY



String trimmers & mower blades can damage the trunk or roots

### RECORD THE FEATURES OF YOUR TREE



Tell us if your tree has a fairy or gnome, an interesting knot, or is HUGE!

### PRETTY BLOOMS OR LEAVES?



Lets us know when your tree is in bloom or has colorful leaves

### NAME YOUR TREE



Each tree is unique. Give yours a unique name

### LOVE YOUR TREE AND IT WILL LOVE YOU BACK!



You can learn more and register your tree at  
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