Trees with Simple Leaves

Lobed Leaves



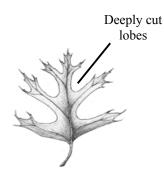
Bur Oak
Leaves turn brown
in fall



White Oak
Leaves turn
burgundy in fall



Red Oak
Leaves turn red in the fall; has "alligator" bark.



Pin Oak

Large Rounded Leaves

Deeply cut lobes



Silver Maple
Leaves turn yellow
in the fall



Sugar Maple
Leaves turn orange
in the fall

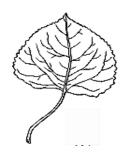


Cottonwood
Older trees have large
trunks; cotton-like seeds;
makes a whispering sound
in the wind.

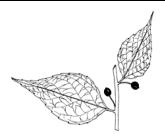


<u>**Basswood**</u> Often has multiple trunks

Small Rounded or Triangular Leaves



Quaking Aspen
Dark brown twigs;
Small round leaves;
makes a whispering
sound in the wind



Hackberry
Cork-like bark;
Berries in mid summer;
Leaves often have
"bumps" on them and
can be yellowish-green



Paper Birch
White flakey bark

Compound Leaves



Box Elder
3-5 leaflets;
has "helicopter" seeds



Green Ash 5-7 leaflets



Smooth Bark Hickory
Less than 10 leaflets;
Dime-sized rounded nuts





Butternut 11-17 leaflets; Similar to walnut; fruit is lemon-shaped



Honey Locust
Bean-like seed pod;
seedlings can be
highly invasive

More Trees With Simple Leaves

Smooth and Shiny Leaves

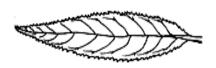


Black Cherry
Black fruit in mid-summer;
flaky bark on mature trees



Buckthorn
Has simple leaf;
non-native;
highly invasive;
dark fruit

Long and Narrow Leaves



Black Willow
Grows only in damp places;
thin leaf

Leaves with Saw-Toothed Edges



Ironwood
Leaves feel fuzzy and soft; grows in the understory of the forest.



American Elm
Leaves feel rough