Learn Tree ID

Now you've introduced yourself to a tree of your choice, let's learn more about it!

The National Arbor Day Foundation has a fun and simple walkthrough website to help identify trees by their leaves. Start by choosing your region of the US, and get guided through a series of visually-oriented questions to find the correct species. What does it have: needles or thin and flat leaves? Is there a single blade or several on a stem?
https://www.arborday.org/trees/whattree/

LeafSnap is a free app that allows users to snap a photo of a leaf and instantly compare it to a database to determine the species. It includes 185 tree species from the Northeastern US and Canada. The LeafSnap website also offers a photo guide with leafs, flowers and fruit from each species in its database

1. Collect a fallen treasure from your tree (a leaf, a seed, a stick). Tape it your paper and talk about it.
2. Write your tree's story; how did the tree get there? What kinds of events has your tree seen throughout its life?
3. Learn about what happens to your tree in winter

