

Community Forests

Name: _____

Directions: Complete each fill in the blank with the correct word, a letter has been provided for you. (You may use the flier to complete this activity.) Then, unscramble the **bold** letters to answer the riddle.

1. _____ **L** forests are generally in wild, remote areas.
2. _____ **T** _____, foods, and wildlife are examples of things people use from the forest.
3. Species that are from foreign areas are known as _____ **O** _____.
4. Community Forests and rural forests have many of the same trees and _____ **I** _____.
5. _____ **E** _____ are a recognizable and beneficial part of a forest.
6. _____ **Y** _____ is produced by trees in forests, which we need to breath.
7. Community forests can help reduce crime and increase _____ **E** _____ value.
8. Trees produce natural or **A** _____ beauty, which is known to help people's _____ **N** _____ and physical health.
9. _____ **O** _____ help to maintain community forests.

Unscramble the bold letters to complete the phrase.

Community forests provide many _____ **V** _____ **N** _____ benefits.

Directions: Fill in the following headings by placing words that describe rural forests and community forests. In the middle column write down similarities these forests share.

<u>Rural Forests</u>	<u>Similarities</u>	<u>Community Forests</u>
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____

Directions: Answer the following questions in complete sentences. You may write on the back of this paper.

1. How do community forests benefit the environment? (You should be able to describe, in detail at least 5 ways community forests benefit the environment.)
2. What do find most appealing regarding your local community forest?