



MAPLE RIDGE
MUSEUM

& COMMUNITY ARCHIVES

Heritage Detectives

Plant Life Edition
Answer Key

Native or Invasive?

Decide if these plants are native or invasive in Maple Ridge by drawing a line between the plants and their status.

Pacific Bleeding Heart



Sword Fern



Western Red Cedar



Purple Loosestrife



Himalayan Blackberry



Native

Plants that occur naturally in Maple Ridge

Salmonberry



Creeping Buttercup



Woolly Sunflower



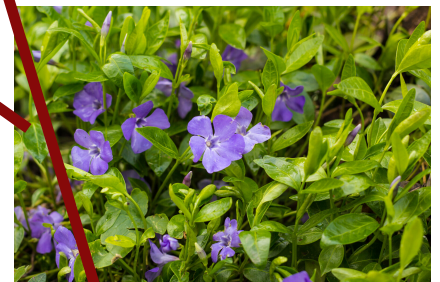
Invasive

Plants that do not occur naturally in Maple Ridge*

Pacific Dogwood



Common Periwinkle



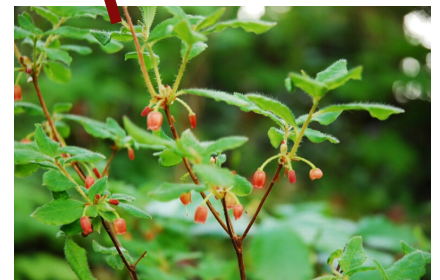
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Japanese Knotweed

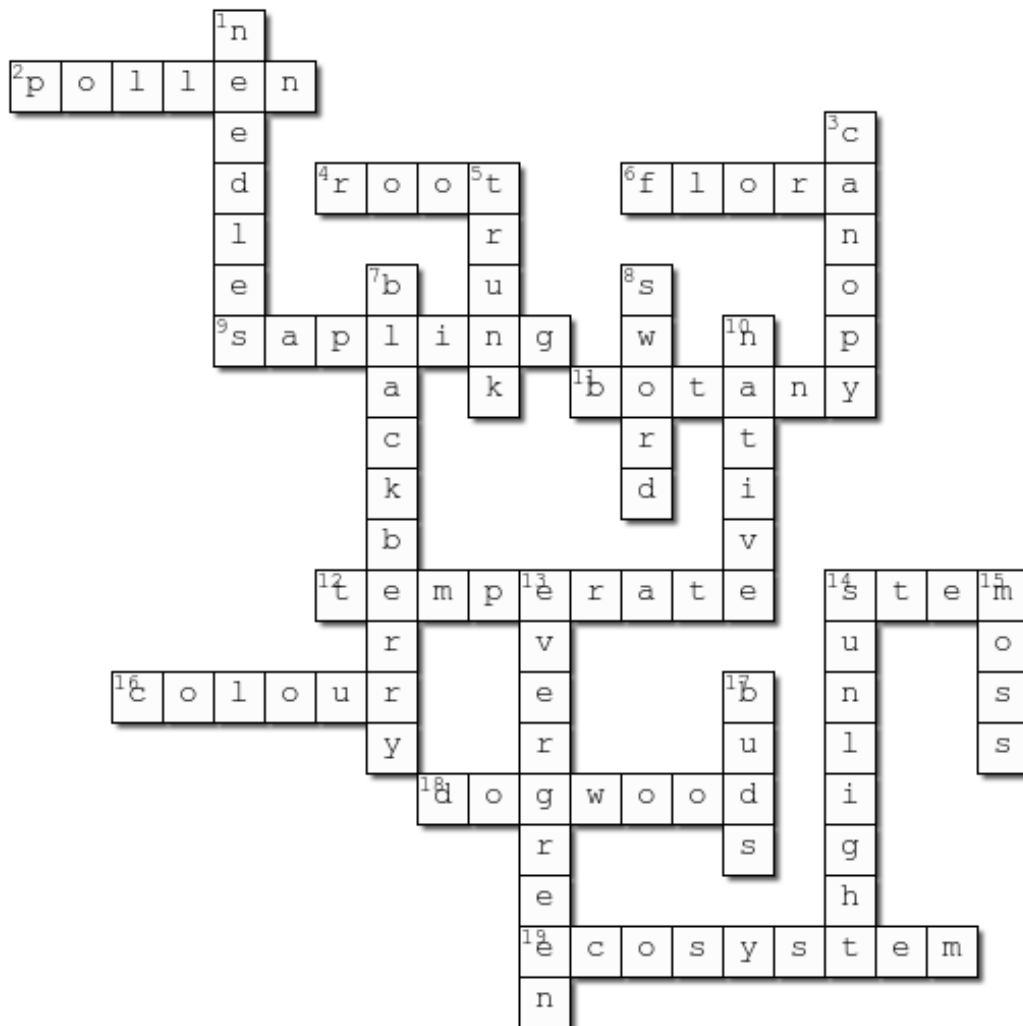


False Azalea



*It is important to note that certain invasive species can harm native plants, animals and ecosystems (communities of plants and animals that interact with each other and with their environment).

Plantlife Crossword



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Across

2. The thing that bees collect from flowers (**pollen**)
4. The part of a plant that is underground (**root**)
6. The plants of a particular region (**flora**)
9. A young tree (**sapling**)
11. The study of plants (**botany**)
12. _____ rainforest. The type of region Maple Ridge is found in (**temperate**)
14. The part of a plant that supports it and carries water and nutrients (**stem**)
16. Chlorophyll gives plants their _____ (**colour**)
18. The provincial flower of British Columbia (**dogwood**)
19. A community of plants and animals that interact with each other and with their environment (**ecosystem**)

Down

1. A fir or a pine tree has _____, not leaves (**needles**)
3. The uppermost trees or branches in a forest (**canopy**)
5. The 'stem' of a tree (**trunk**)
7. A type of invasive berry found in Maple Ridge (**blackberry**)
8. _____ fern. A native plant found in Maple Ridge (**sword**)
10. Plants/animals that are naturally found in an area (**native**)
13. The type of tree that is green throughout the year (**evergreen**)
14. The source of most of a plant's energy (**sunlight**)
15. A type of plant that often covers the ground in dense clumps (**moss**)
17. Flowers grow from _____ (**buds**)

Planting a Garden

Can you help plant the garden below by cutting out the plants and fitting them into the grid?

