HENNEPIN COUNTY

Trees and forests learning series



Hennepin County forestry is offering free monthly learning opportunities about trees and forests for residents. These sessions require no previous knowledge and are open to the public.



Find out details and register to attend a session: hennepin.us/trees#learning

Connect and craft in celebration of Arbor Day

Saturday, April 19 from 1:45 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Hosmer Library in Minneapolis

Join the Hennepin County Foresters to connect, create, and collaborate with community through many activities celebrating Arbor Day. The afternoon will include opportunities for zine making, puppet making, plant printing, and seed art. Materials for crafts will be provided at no cost, and participants are also invited to bring their own materials.

Educational forestry resources will be available and forestry experts will be on-site to share in the activities and answer related questions. All are welcome, there are activities for any age group, and instruction by foresters will be available in English and Spanish. Printed educational materials are available in English (including large print), Spanish, Hmong, and Somali.

Urban fruit tree care

Two session options on Thursday, May 15 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. or from 4 to 6 p.m. in Minneapolis

Learn best practices for fruit tree care from Hennepin County Foresters. Learn about growing fruit trees and shrubs in small spaces, pruning for best fruit production and/or flowering, and protecting trees from disease and damage. Get answers from the experts to questions about tree and shrub care.

This workshop will be fully outdoors and held in Spanish and English. We will meet at the Hennepin County urban fruit orchard on the corner of 25th Avenue N and Hillside Avenue N, one block east of Penn Avenue N in Minneapolis.

Tree identification

Two session options on Monday, June 16 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. or from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Kylawn Park in Brooklyn Center

Learn how to identify trees using a variety of techniques! The workshop will be held fully outdoors on both paved and unpaved trails. We will meet at the parking lot closest the corner of 61st Ave N and Lee Ave N.

