Investigations Guide Vocabulary

Investigation 1: Observing Trees
adopt  
bark  
branch  
circumference  
compare  
cone  
conifer  
desert  
different  
flower  
hardwood  
leaves  
living  
mountain  
observe  
ocean  
pattern  
plant  
river  
root  
rubbing  
seed  
shape  
similar  
stem  
swamp  
texture  
tree  
trunk  
twig  
valley  
property  
rough  
rounded  
shorter  
silhouette  
size  
smooth  
spear  
tip  
toothed  
triangle  
wider  

Investigation 2: Observing Leaves
color  
edge  
heart  
line  
lobed  
longer  
narrower  
outlet  
outline  
oval  
paddle  
pointed  

Investigation 3: Observing Weather
air  
blowing  
calendar  
cloud  
cold  
cool  
direction  
freezing  
hot  
monitor  
moving air  
overcast  
partly cloudy  
rainy  
snowy  
streamer  
sunny  
temperature  
thermometer  
warm  
weather  
weather instrument  
wind  
wind sock  

Investigation 4: Trees through the Seasons
blossom  
bud  
evergreen  
fall  
flower  
food
forcing
fruit
growth ring
leaf scar
needle
scale
season
seed
spring
summer
swollen
winter

Science Resources Vocabulary

Investigation 1: Observing Trees
branch
desert
forest
fruit
leaf
living
mountain
nutrient
ocean
river
root
stem
swamp
tree
trunk
valley

Investigation 3: Observing Weather
Cloud
forecast
Moon
pattern
rain gauge
star
Sun
thermometer
weather
wind sock

Investigation 4: Trees through the Seasons
season
seed