

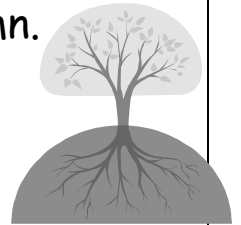
*The Secret Life of Trees*



Write the correct word in the blank.

**discover      energy      forecast      shed      source**

1. When did they \_\_\_\_\_ the surprise?
2. We need \_\_\_\_\_ to run the long race.
3. Some trees \_\_\_\_\_ their leaves in autumn.
4. The sun is a good \_\_\_\_\_ of light.
5. There is a \_\_\_\_\_ of rain today.



1. What is the genre of this selection? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Why is The Secret Life of Trees a good title for this book?

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3. According to this selection, what is the heaviest thing on Earth?

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4. The tree's bark protects the \_\_\_\_\_

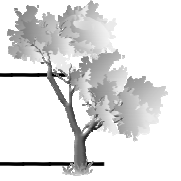
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5. A tree gets its food from the \_\_\_\_\_

6. Can a tree live without sun and water? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Can a tree live longer than other living things? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Which kinds of trees lose their leaves in winter? \_\_\_\_\_



9. Seeds may never grow into a tree because \_\_\_\_\_

10. How long is the sugar pine cone? \_\_\_\_\_

11. Pine cones forecast a storm by \_\_\_\_\_

12. The tallest tree alive today is growing in \_\_\_\_\_

13. Name two things that are made from wood: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Why are the branches of conifers bouncy? \_\_\_\_\_

15. Why can a palm tree's seed grow without water? \_\_\_\_\_

16. What does the author mean by "in summer a tree is an animal hotel"?