

LEAVES

and TREES

All trees have leaves. Inside these leaves are various chemicals. Chlorophyll is a chemical found in green leaves. This chemical helps these leaves make or produce food.

Why do plants have leaves?

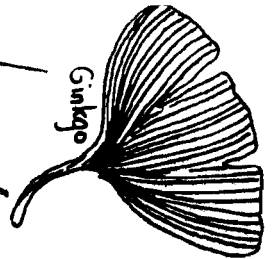
Some leaves are broad while others are thin and needle like.

Why do some trees get rid of their leaves in the winter?

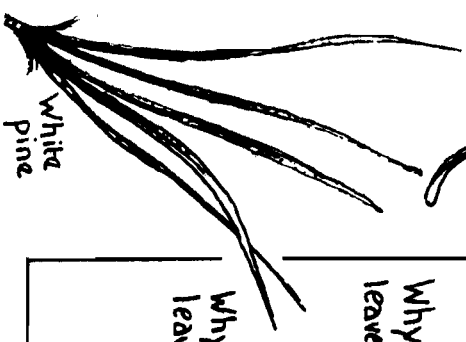
Why are evergreens able to keep their leaves in the winter?



Spruce



Ginkgo



White pine

How can you use leaves to identify trees?

Why do some trees have broad leaves while others have needles?

sample leaf identification chart

