

# Community Forests

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Directions:** Complete each fill in the blank with the correct word, a letter has been provided for you. (You may use the flier to complete this activity.) Then, unscramble the **bold** letters to answer the riddle.

1. \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ **L** forests are generally in wild, remote areas.
2. \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ **T** \_\_\_\_, foods, and wildlife are examples of things people use from the forest.
3. Species that are from foreign areas are known as \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ **O** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_.
4. Community Forests and rural forests have many of the same trees and \_\_\_\_ **I** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_.
5. \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ **E** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ are a recognizable and beneficial part of a forest.
6. \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ **Y** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ is produced by trees in forests, which we need to breath.
7. Community forests can help reduce crime and increase \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ **E** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ value.
8. Trees produce natural or **A** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ beauty, which is known to help people's \_\_\_\_ **N** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ and physical health.
9. \_\_\_\_ **O** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ help to maintain community forests.

Unscramble the bold letters to complete the phrase.

Community forests provide many \_\_\_\_ **V** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ **N** \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ benefits.

**Directions:** Fill in the following headings by placing words that describe rural forests and community forests. In the middle column write down similarities these forests share.

## Rural Forests

## Similarities

## Community Forests

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

**Directions:** Answer the following questions in complete sentences. You may write on the back of this paper.

1. How do community forests benefit the environment? (You should be able to describe, in detail at least 5 ways community forests benefit the environment.)
2. What do find most appealing regarding your local community forest?