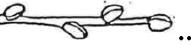


# Trees and bushes in wintertime

## Identification Key

1. Buds opposite .....  ..... 2  
Buds not opposite .....  ..... 3
  
2. Buds black - blackish brown, matt .....  ..... Ash  
Buds reddish brown or green, glossy ...  ..... Norway Maple
  
3. Branches with two kinds of winter buds ...  ..... Wych Elm  
Branches with one kind of winter bud ..... 4
  
4. The bark of the trunk is white or partially white in more mature trees.  
Small warts on young shoots .....  ..... Silver Birch  
The bark of the trunk is not white ..... 5
  
5. Buds without stalks ..... 6  
Buds with stalks .....  ..... European Alder
  
6. Buds pointed or ovoid ..... 7  
Buds rounded ..... 8
  
7. Glossy, naked buds .....  ..... Beech  
Hairy buds .....  ..... Rowan
  
8. Shoots naked ..... 9  
Shoots with glandular hair .....  ..... Hazel
  
9. Buds and annual shoots, glossy reddish brown on the sunny side, often green or yellowish-green on the shady side....  ..... Small-leaved Lime  
Buds brown, not glossy, five-sided, often many buds clustered at the tips of twigs .....  ..... English Oak