







Growing Native

Field Guide to Desired Native Species Pennsylvania



Name	Leaf	Bark	Seed
<p>Northern Red Oak</p> <p><i>Quercus rubra</i></p>	 <p>5 to 8 inches long; pointed tips</p>	 <p>Older trees have wide, flat ridges with shallow furrows between them, resembling ski tracks</p>	 <p>Acorns; $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch long; flat, thick cap; emerge August to late October</p>
<p>White Oak</p> <p><i>Quercus alba</i></p>	 <p>4 to 7 inches long; bright green on top, whitish below</p>	 <p>Whitish or ashy-gray; scaly; patchy; blocky</p>	 <p>Acorn; warty cap that always detaches when ripe; emerges July through September</p>