



Sandia Ranger District

Junior Ranger Program — High Mountain Ecosystem

Nature Trail Quiz

Four Seasons Visitor Center

Grades 6-8

Please fill in the blanks. Choose your answers from the column on the right side.

1. An evergreen tree with upright cones	tree lichen
2. A shrub-like tree with helicopter seeds	Tram Terminal Building
3. Ocean fossils are found in this sedimentary rock	"Flagged"
4. As you hike along the trail, be sure to	wetter & cooler
5. This tree has light bark and gold leaves in the fall	enjoy it but don't pick it
6. This evergreen tree has sharp needles	Engelman Spruce
7helps retain ground moisture	Rocky Mountain Maple Tree
8. A tree is shaped by the wind and is bare on one side	True Fir Tree
9. Weather on top of the Sandias vs Albuquerque weather	stay on the trail
10. If you see a wild animal,	limestone
11. Insects that damage trees and make engraved marks	forest litter
12. If you see an empty can on the trail,	Aspen Tree
13. "Old Man's Beard" is not a moss, but a type of	enjoy it from a safe distance
14. If you see a wild flower,	Bark Beetles
15. The Four Seasons Visitor Center is in the	carry it out and recycle it

Here's a fun activity that you can do at home!

Sandia Mountain Wildlife Word Search Puzzle

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We hope you had fun in the mountains, and thanks for being a



