## **Branch Press Assignment**

## Due Oct. 18,2019

## **Tree or Shrub Specimen**

## **Instructions:**

Fall is a great time to enjoy trees and shrubs. Find a tree or shrub in your yard or neighborhood that you like. Cut a branch or section of a branch, to press. Press the specimen. If it's a branch with soft or large fruit, take a picture of the fruit and add that to your final assignment, or tape the fruit on after the branch is pressed (ex. acorns). If the fruit is small and can be pressed without making a mess, press & dry them with the branch. Bend the branch in half if it doesn't fit on an 8x11 or 11x17 sheet. Once the plant is pressed and dried, tape or glue it to a piece of white paper and glue that to a piece of cardboard. On the back of the cardboard tape or glue the ID form below.

(cut here)		
Tree/Shrub ID Form	Your Name	
Common Plant Name:		
Scientific Plant Name:		

Any interesting facts about this plant?