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## Nature's Christmas Decorations Quiz...

There are lots of fruits, seeds and flowers putting on a show in the Botanic Gardens. Some of their shapes are like Christmas decorations. See if you can find stars, bells, and baubles.

**Pick up a 'Gardens Guide' with a map inside. The numbers on the quiz match the numbers on the signs and the map. Walk to the numbered signs to discover the answers to the quiz. Wear a hat and take some water. Have fun.**

Start at the gate of the Tropical Shade Garden next to Administration...



**Sign 1.** Tick the colours you might see on this tree as its fruit ripens?



**Sign 2.** Where might you find this Christmas orchid growing in the wild?

Circle the correct answer.

**Eungella**

**Eimeo**

**Egypt**



**Sign 3.** Would you be eating this turkey for Christmas? **Yes** **No**

**Sign 4.** This Lilly Pilly's young leaves are ..... in colour

And its fruit is..... in colour.



**Sign 5.** When the Actephila fruits are ripe they **POP** **explode** **shake**  
Circle the correct answer.

**Sign 6.** We all like presents at Christmas.

The bird statues are a present to the Botanic gardens from .....



**\* 7\*** Fallen Poinciana Flowers on the ground are a colour of Christmas. Tick the matching star colour



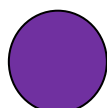
**Sign 8.** How long do my yellow flowers last?



Walk out of the Tropical Shade Garden gate and look for the sign on your right at the end of the hedge and the plants below.

**Sign 9.** Which Christmas shape does the Native Plumbago flower resemble?

Circle one





Look across the path for the sign and the next two questions.

**Sign 10.** The Sauropus hedge may have shiny green decorations amongst the leaves. What could they be?



**Sign 11.**

Look carefully at the larger hedge behind the Sauropus hedge.

Draw the holly leaf shape.



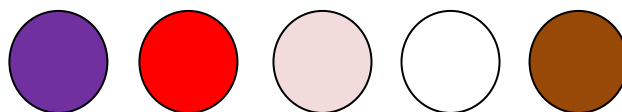
**Sign 12.** To the left of the front entrance sign...

The flower of this tree can smell like.....

Follow the path that is on the outside of 18 on the map (The fernery) towards the footpath. The next two signs are on the left.



**Sign 13.** There are lots of different coloured berries / baubles. Cross out the colours that you won't see on this plant.



**Sign 14.** Sucking on the flesh and seeds of this plant's blue berries taste like...

Circle the correct one. **honey** **lemon** **salt**



Across the path is **Sign 15.** What is the name of the moth which uses this tree as its only food plant for its caterpillars?



Follow the path at Number 16 on the map till you come to the top of the path that leads to 15. You will see a sign on your right.

**Sign 16.** Does this tree look like it is covered in **snow** **coal** **fairyfloss**  
Circle the correct answer.



Go down the path with the railing and then head west to just past the bridge at Number 23 on the map.

**Sign 17.** My flower looks like a ..... bauble!

These trees are at the lagoon edge below Number 27 on the map.

**Sign 18.** Circle the colour and the shape of this tree's flowers



Walk up through the maze of hedges Number 27 to the path leading to the Café. Stop before the rubbish bin.



**Sign 19.** My flowers resemble strings of .....

**Sign 20.** Would you eat a figgy pudding? **Yes** **No**



**Did you manage to finish the Quiz ? Well Done!**

Remember you can recycle the Garden's Guide by taking it back to the Administration building and then handing your quiz in to maybe Win Decorations! Drawn 18<sup>th</sup> December 2015