

Design a Winter-proof Conifer

Name _____

If you were going to come up with the best possible winter-proof design for a conifer, what would it look like?

1. What's the best shape for your tree? What shape will allow the most sunshine to reach its leaves?
What shape will shed snow the best?
2. What would be the best shape, size, and texture for the leaves of your tree when it's cold, snowy, icy, and windy?
3. What other features would your tree have to survive the long, dark, cold, snowy winter?
4. Draw and describe the key features of your winter-proof conifer below.