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# Map Your Ash Trees Using Google™

Google™ Maps enables you and your students to look up and study addresses anywhere in the United States and view satellite imagery. It is an online application (no downloading required), and you can access it from any computer that's connected to the Internet. Use this tool to survey your neighborhood for infestations of EAB.

- 1** Go to [maps.google.com](http://maps.google.com). Enter the school or home address (number, street, city, state, zip). Click on "Search Maps".
- 2** Test your zoom tool. Zoom out to look at the school on the continent. (See fig. 1). Zoom in to look at the streets around the school. (See fig. 2).
- 3** This map can be used to mark the trees with an X. Circle all ash trees in red. Use arrows to identify any trees that have signs of EAB infestation. (See fig. 3).  
**Optional:** Click on Satellite to get photo picture of your school. (See fig. 4). Use the zoom tool and mouse to center the school on the page and include the streets that you want to survey. Print out the map and circle the trees. Go outside and identify the trees you have marked. Use red to identify ash trees. Use arrows to identify ash trees that show signs of EAB.
- 4** Create your own EAB map to share with others using the MyMaps feature.



fig. 1

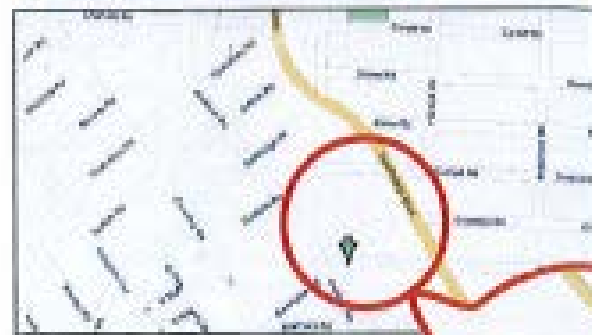


fig. 2



fig. 3



fig. 4



Find out how other educators have been using this tool: <http://weblogg-ed.com/2007/make-your-own-google-maps-too-cool/>

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