

THE BUTTERFLY TREE

Name _____

School _____ Grade _____

Teacher's Name _____

City _____ State _____

Observation Date _____ Time _____

1. How long did you observe the butterflies?

1 min. _____ 5 min. _____ 10 min. _____

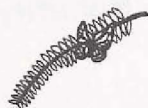
2. How many Monarch butterflies did you see during that period of time?



Flying _____



Drinking _____



Resting on a plant _____



Feeding _____

3. If they were resting on a plant, what kind of plant was it?



Tree



shrub



grass

4. What is the plant's name?

5. Look up the scientific name of the plant.

6. If they were resting on a tree, how tall was it?



6-15 ft



15-30 ft



more than 30 ft

7. Where did you observe the butterflies?

sidewalk _____ park _____ garden _____ country _____
other _____

8. Name and location of the park, street, neighborhood, road, etc. where you observed the butterflies.

9. What other plants were in the immediate surroundings?

10. At the time of observation, what was the weather like?



sunny



cloudy



cold



hot



windy



raining

Recommendations for better observation:

- You should watch in early morning or late afternoon.
- Be silent and walk slowly when you see the butterflies.
- Avoid projecting your shadow on the butterflies.
- Do not make sudden movements; they disrupt the butterflies very easily.

Dear friend:

The information that you collect will be of great help in knowing more about the Monarchs, making it possible to help them on their yearly migration. You may want to make copies of this form to send reports as often as you like.