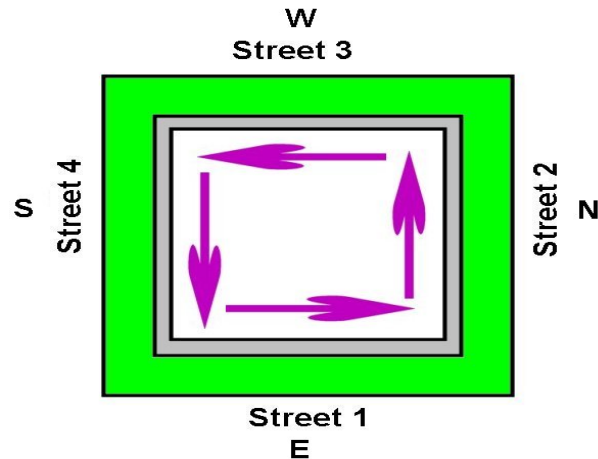Dendrology Oxford Tree Map Homework Project Instructions

1. Begin on Campus Avenue and work toward
   the west along your assigned block strip.
   Don't go west of Elm Street.
2.  Begin on SE corner of Street 1
3. Proceed around block as indicated by
arrows
4. Only identify trees growing in tree lawn
   (green area between sidewalk and street)
   and in square soil areas uptown
DO NOT identify trees in yards or in alleys
since these are on private property and are
not part of the Oxford managed urban forest.
5.  For each street record the width of the
    Tree Lawn.  This will probably be the
    same width for the entire street, but if
    not, make a note where it differs.
6. For each tree record:
           A. Location on map and in spreadsheet
           B. species
           C. DBH (inches)
           D. Height (feet)
           E. Crown (feet)
           F   Health (eg. DEAD; # of BIG DEAD BRANCHES; DISEASE SYMPTOMS;
                   **LEAVE BLANK IF TREE LOOKS HEALTHY**)

W
Street 3

Street 4   S

Street 2   N

Street 1
E

Tree numbers begin with #1 as the first tree closest to SE corner of Street1 and increase
sequentially in the direction of the arrows.  When you move to the next block west in your
assigned block strip, continue the numbering beginning at the SE corner of the former Street3.

Location specification =  StreetNameDirection
So for tree #1 the location would be Street1E, then when you move to Street2 it would be
Street2N, then Street3W, then Street4S.
Note that when you finish a block and move west along your assigned block strip, Street3 will
now be designated E and the next street up to the west will be designated W.  Streets 2 and 4 will
always retain the N and S designation along your assigned block strip.

If you encounter a bush or shrub in the tree lawn, just record its location on the map as "bush" or
"shrub"

STOP when you have recorded 50 total trees OR when you have reached the end of your
assigned block strip.

Percentage grading will be on the basis of 5 pts for each tree.