Alder – Buds have a stalk, some scales, branches have cones

Observations
Bites:

Does the tree look like a broom? YES or NO
Aspen – Buds scaly and shiny

Observations
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Does the tree look like a broom?  YES  or NO

Willow – Buds are sometimes hairy, never scaly

Observations
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Does the tree look like a broom?  YES  or NO
**Mountain Ash** – Buds hairy and scaly

Does the tree look like a broom? **YES** or **NO**

**Birch** – Buds scaly, small, not cone-like, bark papery and branches have “sugar crystals”

Does the tree look like a broom? **YES** or **NO**
**Cherry** – Buds scaly, cone-like, not sticky, not shiny

Observations

Bites: _____________________________

Does the tree look like a broom? YES or NO

**Cottonwood** – Buds scaly, cone-like, and sticky

Observations

Bites: _____________________________

Does the tree look like a broom? YES or NO