



Pathfinder's Name

Small Fruit Growing

1. What are the soil requirements for growing
Bramble berries _____
Strawberries _____
Grapes _____
Blueberries _____
2. Write a one-page report telling how to grow one of the above fruits.
Include the following:
- a. Variety selection
 - b. Soil preparation
 - c. Planting techniques
 - d. Fertilizing
 - e. Pruning (where applicable)
 - f. Watering
 - g. Pest control
 - h. Harvesting
3. Name three varieties of each fruit that will grow well in your area.
- 1. _____
 - 2. _____
 - 3. _____
4. Prune two blueberry bushes, two grape vines, or a ten-foot row of
bramble berries at the proper time in the family garden or for a friend or
neighbor.
Type trimmed _____
Who trimmed for _____
5. What is a perishable crop?

- 6. How long can the following be stored?

Strawberries _____

Bramble berries _____

Blueberries _____

Grapes _____

- 7. Describe a serious insect or disease pest for each fruit. Include when the problem occurs, damage caused, and chemical or cultural treatments. Use as many pictures or drawings as possible. (Complete Chart #1)

- 8. Take a soil test from a garden and determine which fruits will grow there. Ask for fertilizer recommendations for one of the crops and determine the cost of fertilizer needed for six 100-foot (30.5 meters) rows.

Soil test results _____

Fruits that will grow _____

Fertilization recommendation _____

Cost of fertilizer _____

Small Fruit Growing, Chart #1

Describe a serious insect or disease pest for each fruit. Include when the problem occurs, damage caused, and chemical or cultural treatments. Use as many pictures or drawings as possible.

Type of fruit _____

Describe insect or disease
When did problem occur
Damage caused
Chemical or cultural treatments