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TreeWatch is a *citizen science* project run by the Sylva Foundation with partners.

Adopt a tree and help us keep a watchful eye on the health and vitality of trees across Europe.

## Why your help is needed

- trees and woodlands are increasingly under threat from pests & diseases
- climate change is helping new tree pests & diseases to survive and thrive
- the global trade in plants is spreading new pests & diseases
- keeping track of existing and new threats to trees is expensive - scientists are often overworked and underfunded

## Get involved

### 1. Choose a tree - anywhere

Choose any species of tree to adopt. It can be in your garden, in the street, your local park or in the countryside.

### 2. Add your tree to TreeWatch

Go to [www.TreeWatch.com](http://www.TreeWatch.com) to add your tree to the map, and if you can, provide some basic information about it.

### 3. Take part in surveys

We will invite you to take part in our *annual survey* of all adopted trees. We also run specific surveys e.g. *horse chestnut leaf miner* and *European pear rust*.



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