PLANTS OF THE BLOOMINGDALE TRAIL

AND IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Take a walk and spot them all.

☐ GINKGO
Ginkgo Biloba

Look for my fan-shaped leaf.

☐ MULBERRY

My delicious, messy berries are white or black.

Ask a grown-up before tasting!

☐ MAPLE

Toss a seed and watch it spin down like a helicopter.

How many colors can you find?

☐ OAK
Quercus Alba

There are almost 1,500 shade trees on the Bloomingdale Trail!

☐ FRINGETREE
Chionanthus Virginicus

Smell me.

☐ SERVICEBERRY
Amelanchier Canadensis

Berries are edible once deep purple. Ask a grown-up first!

☐ BUCKEYE
Aesculus Glabra

The Trail hosts over 175,000 perennials and grasses.

☐ WITCHHAZEL
Hamamelis Virginiana

I have medicinal uses.

The Bloomingdale Trail was elevated in 1915!
MORE PLANTS!

☐ SUMAC
   Rhus Glabra
   My berries make a tangy sumac-ade.

☐ SMOKEBUSH
   Cotinus Coggygia
   Touch my fluffy bloom. What does it feel like?

☐ HOSTA
   (BLUE ANGEL)
   Sieboldiana
   Use your hand to measure my largest leaf.

☐ ROSE
   Therese Bugnet Rose

☐ FALSE INDIGO
   Baptisia Australis

☐ HYDRANGEA
   (OAK LEAF)
   Hydrangea Quercifolia

☐ LILY OF THE VALLEY
   Convallaria majalis
   What does my flower shape remind you of?

☐ ANEMONE
   Anemone Canadensis

☐ AMSONIA
   (BLUE STAR)
   Amsonia Hubrichtii

☐ GERANIUM
   Geranium Sanguinea

56,500 bulbs were planted along the trail.

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