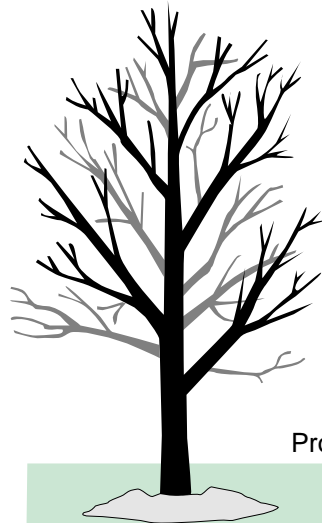


Select limbs to be removed.

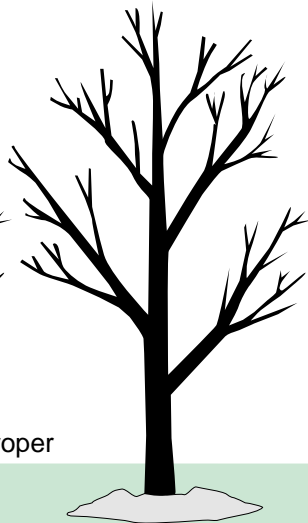
Thinning-out pruning helps trees maintain a natural shape.



Proper

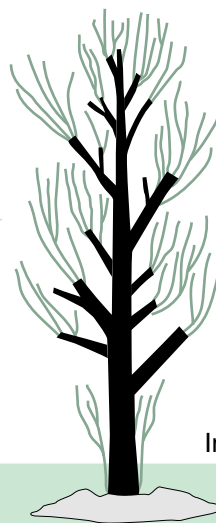
Even proper pruning can stress trees.

Tree-wound dressing is not recommended or needed on any pruning cut or wound.



Avoid "topping" your trees.

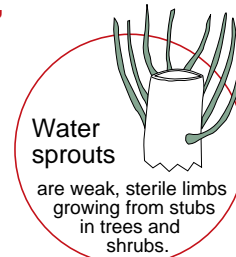
It usually causes growth of "suckers" and "water sprouts".



water sprouts



suckers



Water sprouts

are weak, sterile limbs growing from stubs in trees and shrubs.

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For Possible Spring/March Timeframe