



Utah Green – Utah Nursery & Landscape Association Certified Nursery Professional Quarterly Quiz

Choose only one correct answer for each question. A completed exam with a score of 80% will qualify for **1 CEU** towards the Utah Certified Nursery Professional – UCNP Certification. Quizzes scoring less than 80% will be returned and can be re-submitted. Correct answers can be sent upon request. We encourage you to return the completed quiz no later than **February 15, 2012**. Visit **www.utahgreen.org** for the quiz online.

CEU Quiz Winter '11

1. *The planting hole for a tree or shrub should be dug:*
 - a) At least 2 to 3 times as wide as the root mass
 - b) Exactly as wide or slightly larger to allow easy planting
 - c) As deep as you have the time and energy to dig
 - d) None of the above
 2. *Identify which grass is a cool season grass (A), and which is a warm season grass (B):*
 - a) Annual ryegrass
 - b) Kikuyu grass
 - c) Kentucky bluegrass
 - d) Red fescue
 - e) Bentgrass
 - f) Bermudagrass
 - g) Perennial ryegrass
 - h) Zoysiagrass
 - i) Buffalograss
 - j) Tall fescue
 3. *A person comes into your nursery and asks to buy a large balled-and-burlapped bristlecone pine tree. The price of this item may be too high, so you:*
 - a) Lead them to the less expensive trees
 - b) Suggest that smaller trees often grow fast
 - c) Show them the best specimen on your lot
 - d) Tell them you don't stock bristlecone pine because they are too expensive
 4. *A properly designed landscape and irrigation system with an automatic clock should be programmed in the spring and should not need to be changed for the rest of that season.*
 - a) True
 - b) False
 5. *Weeds are most easily identified when they are young and growing rapidly.*
 - a) True
 - b) False
 6. *Fungus gnat adults:*
 - a) Are harmless to plants but a nuisance to residents
 - b) Spend most of the adult life stage under hard shells on leaves and stems
 - c) Resemble tiny grubs near the root tips
 - d) Give live birth to their young
 7. *Biological control of spider mites includes use of predatory mites.*
 - a) True
 - b) False
 8. *Biological controls for Western Cherry Fruit Fly provide significant control.*
 - a) True
 - b) False
 9. *If you don't know exactly what an ailing plant's problem is, you can always:*
 - a) Make up something that sounds plausible
 - b) Sell the customer some fertilizer
 - c) Say "I don't know, but I'll try to find out for you"
 - d) Point to the Ortho book and suggest they figure it out themselves
 10. *Which of the following landscapes, at maturity, will perform best with the least irrigation?*
 - a) Many large trees
 - b) Perfectly level area of turfgrass
 - c) Slope planted with Vinca minor groundcover
 - d) Terraced slope planted with Great Basin wildrye
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