

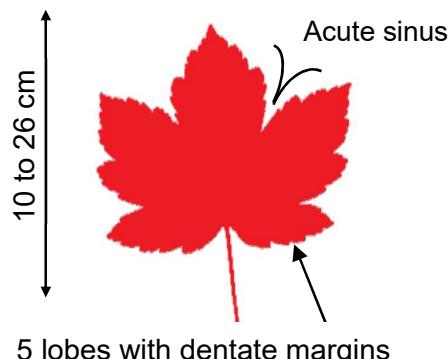
**IDENTIFICATION
OF THE MAPLE TREE
RESPONSIBLE FOR ATYPICAL MYOPATHY**

SYCAMORE MAPLE (*Acer pseudoplatanus*)

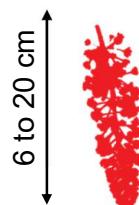
Toxic



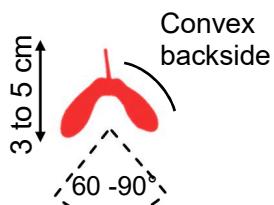
- Recognition of the tree by its leaves, flowers and fruits



5 lobes with dentate margins



Hanging raceme

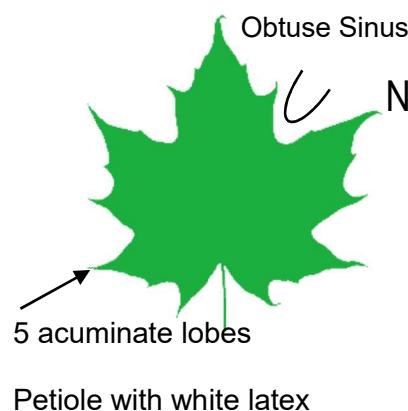


Flowers after the leaves

Samaras forming an acute angle

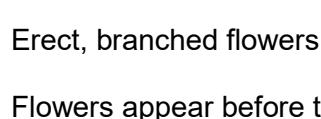
TWO OTHER COMMON MAPLE TREES

Non toxic

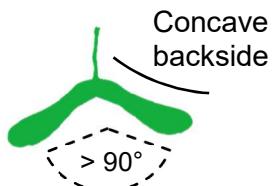


5 acuminate lobes
Petiole with white latex

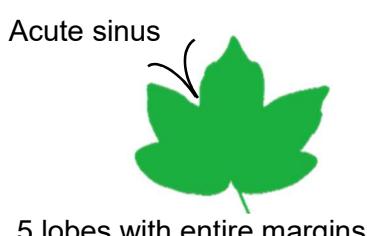
NORWAY MAPLE (*Acer platanoides*)



Erect, branched flowers



Samaras forming an obtuse angle

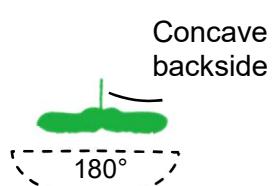


5 lobes with entire margins

FIELD MAPLE (*Acer campestre*)



Erect, branched flowers



Flowers appear simultaneously with the leaves

Disamara forming a straight angle