

**Comal County Conservation Alliance
Lindheimer Master Naturalists
Recommended Book and Reference List
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Introduction

This list of references was originally compiled by Coco Brennan for the Lindheimer Master Naturalists. It was expanded and reorganized by Joel Dunnington, followed with a review by a number of Lindheimer Master Naturalists. Some of these books are out of print, but with the wonders of the internet, they can usually be found. For the Apps, I gave the link to the iPhone site. Most of these can also be found for on the Android platform.

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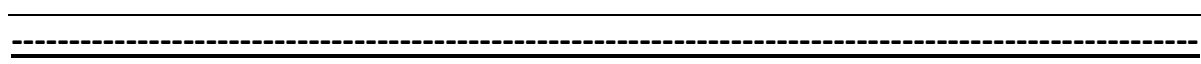
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Texas Commission on Environmental Quality-

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Encyclopedia of Life: Collection of Images of numerous species of everything-

<http://eol.org/>

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Natures Notebook, tracking seasonal changes in plants and animals-

https://www.usanpn.org/natures_notebook

National Phenology Network, Natures Calendar- <https://www.usanpn.org/about>

Leave No Trace Principles- <https://lnt.org/learn/7-principles>

Natural Collecting- <https://tpwd.texas.gov/education/resources/aquatic-science/NaturalCollections>

Dark Skies- <http://www.hillcountryalliance.org/NightSkies>

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Drought Preparedness- <https://aggie-horticulture.tamu.edu/earthkind/drought/>

Native American Seed- <http://www.seedsource.com/>

Central Texas Suggested Native Plants-

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