

**Common Name:** Giant Sequoia

**Scientific Name:** *Sequoiadendron giganteum*

**Sun Exposure:** Full sun to part shade

**Average Size:** 165-280 feet tall and as large as 20-25 feet in diameter

**Moisture:** Prefers moist sites; when full grown, they require lots of water

**Elevation:** Middle to upper elevations (1,000 to 6,000 feet)

**Soils:** Prefers well-drained soils, often found in alluvial sites

**Shape:** Coniferous tree, very large and lateral branches tend to curve downward.

**Foliage:** Evergreen ~Needles are

**Flower:** N/A

**Fruit:** N/A

**Notes:**

- World's largest tree
- Giant Sequoia are a type of redwood
- The oldest known Sequoia is 3,200 years old.
- Regenerates by seeds that are about 4-5 mm long.

