

Specimen Labels:

There are many items that need to be on an herbarium specimen label. I have chosen a few that will be required for our collections and they are listed below:

Common Name- ie: Cattail

* Scientific Name- ie: *Typha latifolia*

Location- Country, State, County, Road (or other defining markers such as mile markers, Latitude/Longitude, Distance from towns)

Frequency- Rare, Occasional, Frequent, Common

Collector Name

* Others Present for Collection

Date of Collection- Day then Month then Year ie: 8 September 2004

Collection Number

* = Optional

*** Note*** If you are interested in submitting your future specimens to a museum or college herbarium, you must check with them for their criteria. (Some will not even accept your specimens if they are mounted already.)

