

## 2023 Arizona Certified Arborist Training (CAT) Class: 6 Fridays, 8:00am – 3:00pm

Date and Time	Topics	Chapters	Presenters
February 17			
8am-9am	Overview and Exam Prep Planning		David Mikulak
9:00am-10:45 am	Plant ID, Taxonomy, Nomenclature	Chapter #1	Kasey Billingsley
10:45am-12:15	Tree Biology	Chapter #2	David Mikulak
12:15pm-1:15pm	Lunch on Your Own		
1:15pm-2:45pm	Pruning and ANSI Standards	Chapter #8	Richard Adkins
2:45pm-3:00pm	Questions		David Mikulak
February 24			
8am-9:30am	Tree Selection	Chapter #6	Steve Priebe
9:45-11:15am	Tree Planting & Installation	Chapter #7	Randall Port
11:15-12:15	Lunch		
12:15-1:30pm	Trees and Construction	Chapter #13	Roy Maxey
1:45-3:00pm	Urban Forestry	Chapter#14	Max Butler
March 3			
8:00-9:30am	Soil	Chapter#3	Tom Ellis
9:45-11:15am	Water Management	Chapter #4	Tom Ellis
11:15-11:30am	Questions/Discussion/Recap		David Mikulak
11:30-12:30pm	Lunch on Your Own		
12:30-2:00pm	Tree Nutrition & Fertilizing	Chapter #5	Tom Ellis
2:00pm-3:00pm	Review and Discussion/Recap		David Mikulak
	Send Home Practice Exam #1		
March 10			
8:00-9:30am	Tree/Plant Health Care	Chapter #11	Scott Cosgrove
9:45-11:15am	Tree Problems & Diagnosis	Chapter #10	David Mikulak
11:15-11:30am	Questions/Discussion/Recap		David Mikulak
11:30-12:30	Lunch on your own		
12:30-2:00pm	Tree Assessment & Risk Mgmt.	Chapter #12	David Mikulak
2:00-3:00pm	Review and Discussion/Recap		David Mikulak
	Send Home Practice Exam #2		
March 17			
8:00-9:30am	Tree Worker Safety	Chapter#15	Pete Thomas
9:45-11:15am	Working in Trees	Chapter #16	Christina Cloer
11:15-11:30am	Questions/Discussion/Recap		David Mikulak
11:30-12:30pm	Lunch on your own		
12:30-2:00pm	Tree Support & Lightning Protection	Chapter #9	Roy Maxey
2:00-3:00pm	Review and Discussion/Recap		David Mikulak
March 24			
8:00-9:30am	Arborist Jeopardy Round 1		David Mikulak
9:45-11:15am	Arborist Jeopardy Round 2		Dalton Gormey
11:15-11:30am	Double Jeopardy		Dalton Gormey
11:30-12:30pm	Lunch on your own		
12:30-3:00pm	Double Jeopardy and Dismissal		David Mikulak