

**SAN FRANCISCO BOTANICAL GARDEN at STRYBING ARBORETUM FIELD TRIP
Tuesday May 1, 4:45-6:00pm**

Schedule: Please meet at the Main Gate of the San Francisco Botanical Garden at 4:45pm. Because parking is limited, you are encouraged to carpool or to take public transportation. For more information about the SF Botanical Garden, refer to their website: <http://www.sfbotanicalgarden.org/>. During the field trip we will explore the gardens, noting plant adaptations to Mediterranean climates.

What to Bring: Please bring a notebook and pencil/pen. Plan on attending rain or shine.

Assignment: The San Francisco Botanical Garden specializes in plants from Mediterranean climates. The assignment is due in class on May 8. In a brief paper, please describe the following (please cite any references you use, be careful NOT to plagiarize):

- What is a Mediterranean climate?
- What are challenges to plants that live in such a climate?
- Describe the adaptations to a Mediterranean climate in 2 plants that you observed at the SF Botanical Garden.