Rangeland Plant Types

Grasses, Grass-likes, Forbes and Shrubs

**GRASS:**
- Hollow, jointed stems
- Parallel veination
- Leaves on two sides of the stem
- A grass flower "floret"

**FORBS:**
- "Wildflowers and Weeds"
- Showy flowers

**GRASS-LIKES:**
- "Looks like a grass, but isn’t"

**SEDGES**
- Solid stems
- Leaves on three sides

**RUSHES**
- Leaves on two sides

**SHRUBS:**
- Solid woody stems
- Leaf veins are net-like
- Often producing berries

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