



All these methods of cutting are mostly used on seed fruit trees. If used on stone fruit trees, gum secretion could result.

1. Cross-wise cuts above the bud and branch in order to increase their growth.
- 2 & 3. Cuts below the bud and branch to turn them into fruiting limbs.
4. Girdling and spiral removal of the bark.
5. Grooving cuts, (not pictured in the book) as Elena pictured it from the discription.