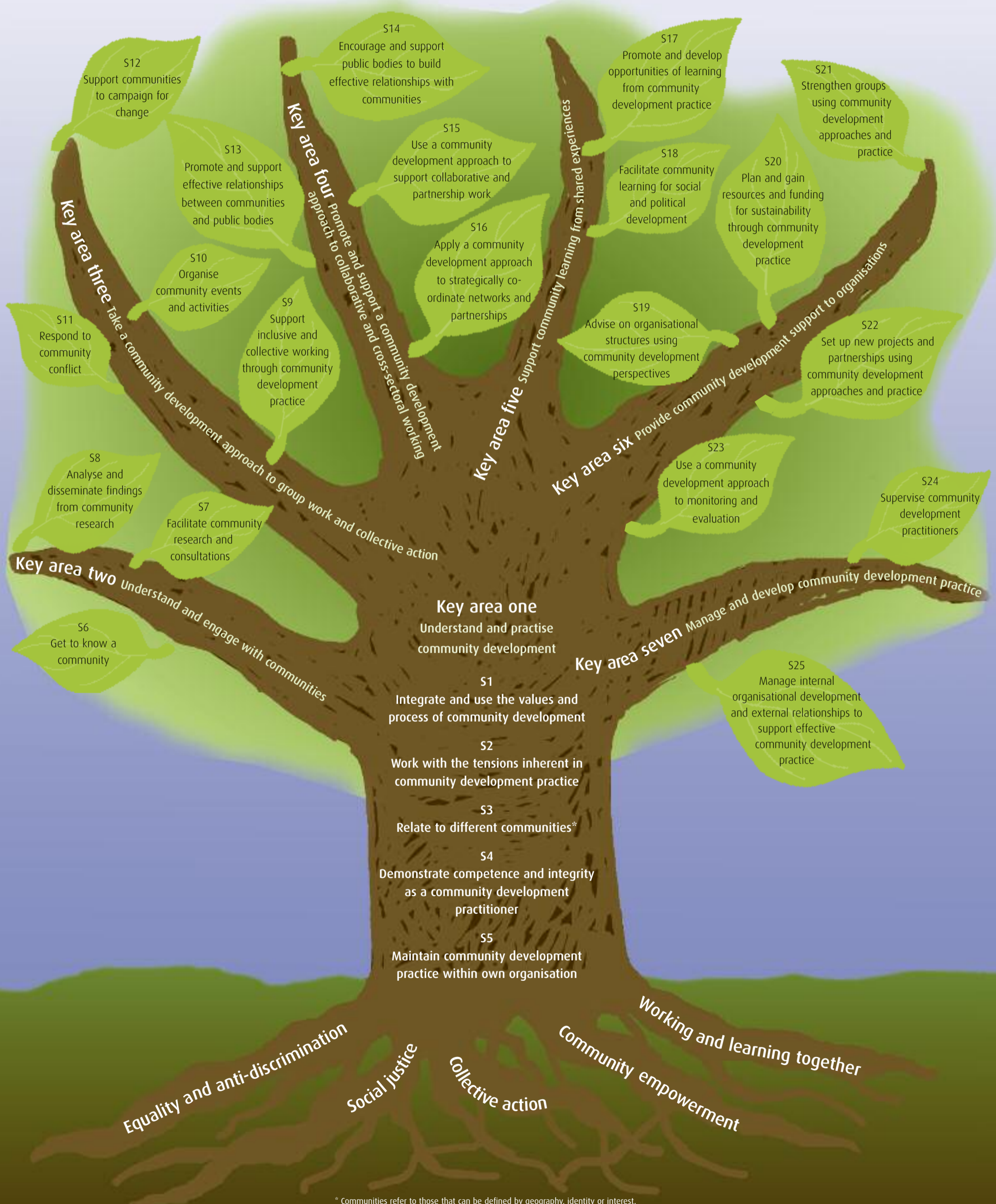


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Community development is a long term value-based process to address imbalances in power and bring about change founded on social justice, equality and inclusion. The process enables people to organise and work together to identify their own needs and aspirations; take action to exert influence on the decisions which affect their lives; and improve the quality of their own lives, the communities in which they live, and societies of which they are a part.



* Communities refer to those that can be defined by geography, identity or interest.