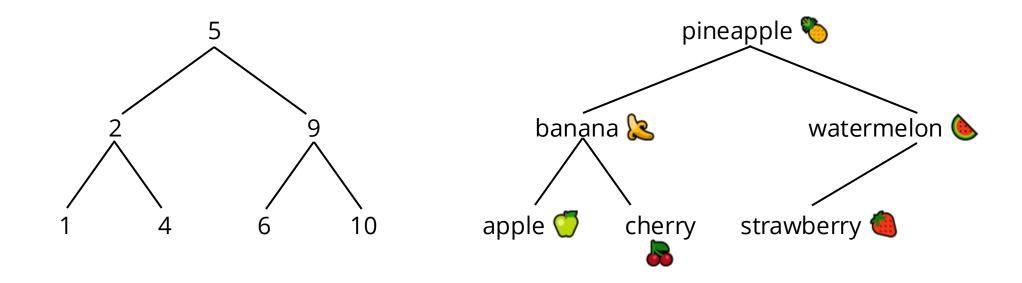
# **Binary Search Tree**

# left value < root < right value</pre>



# **Binary Search Tree**

#### •Pre-order:

- Visit current node
- Recurse left

$$A \rightarrow B \rightarrow D \rightarrow E \rightarrow C \rightarrow F \rightarrow G$$

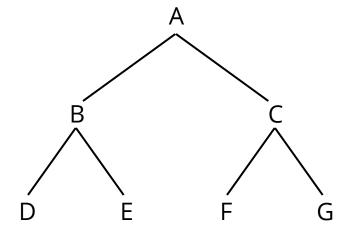
Recurse right

### •Post-order:

- Recurse left
- Recurse right
- $D \rightarrow E \rightarrow B \rightarrow F \rightarrow G \rightarrow C \rightarrow A$
- Visit current node

### •In-order:

- Recurse left
- Visit current node  $D \rightarrow B \rightarrow E \rightarrow A \rightarrow F \rightarrow C \rightarrow G$
- Recurse right



# Ex10.08: Draw a BST

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Construct (draw) a binary search tree on strings by inserting the signs of the Zodiac in their sequence order into a tree that is initially empty: Aquarius, Pisces, Aries, Taurus, Gemini, Cancer, Leo, Virgo, Libra, Scorpio, Sagittarius, Capricorn.

Then add in the twelve animals of the Chinese zodiac: Rat, Ox, Tiger, Rabbit, Dragon, Snake, Horse, Goat, Monkey, Rooster, Dog, Boar.

Then add in your name and the name of some friends.

Finally, calculate the average depth of the items in the tree, with the root node of the tree at depth 1, its children at depth 2, and so on.

Verify that for "typical" input sequences like this one, the average depth of the items in the tree is much smaller than the number of objects in the tree.

# **Binary Search Tree**

• Time complexities of ordered **insert, delete** and **search** for a binary search tree:

•Best case/Average case (balanced tree):  $O(\log n)$ 

•Worst case (stick): O(n)

