



Leaf challenge

Learn more about leaves!

Go on a leaf hunt in autumn.
Collect different types of leaves
that have fallen to the ground.

Sort them into different groups –
colour, size, shape... Can you think
of any other categories?

Make a rainbow – red, orange,
yellow, green, purple
and brown.

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Line up your leaves in size
order, smallest to biggest.

Look for leaves with similar shapes –
star, heart, a leaf with teeth, a leaf
with needles...



Challenge friends and family to a leaf hunting competition!
Who's the first to find an orange leaf, a star-shaped leaf, a tiny leaf...?

Use the Nature Detectives leaf ID sheet to identify the leaves you find.

Feel free to copy and share this for personal and educational use –
and don't forget there are loads more brilliant activities to download on our website!

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