

Natural colours



This activity gets you looking at the wonderful colours there are in nature. It's great fun in the autumn when leaves are changing colour.

Equipment:

Card

Scissors

Double-sided sticky tape or glue

Paint sample chart (optional)



Finding your natural colours

Take a walk outside and try to find as many different leaf colours as possible. You could use a paint sample colour chart to help you. Take a leaf of each colour. You could also use objects that are not leaves such as seeds. When you are back inside, cut out pieces from each leaf and stick it to the card.

If you like, you can experiment with cutting out different shapes or creating a picture using pieces of leaves. Before you go outside, you could also put double-sided sticky tape onto the card so you can stick items to it as you find them.

