

Nova's Autumn Discovery Hunt

Learning objective: To observe and describe the seasonal changes in the natural world during Autumn, including changes in leaf colour and weather.

Help Nova the owl explore the forest. Look at the pictures and think about how the world changes when it is Autumn. Answer the questions to show what you know about this special season.

Word bank: Red · Orange · Yellow · Crunchy · Cool · Falling

1. Nova sees leaves changing colour on the trees. Can you name three colours that leaves turn in Autumn? (3 marks)

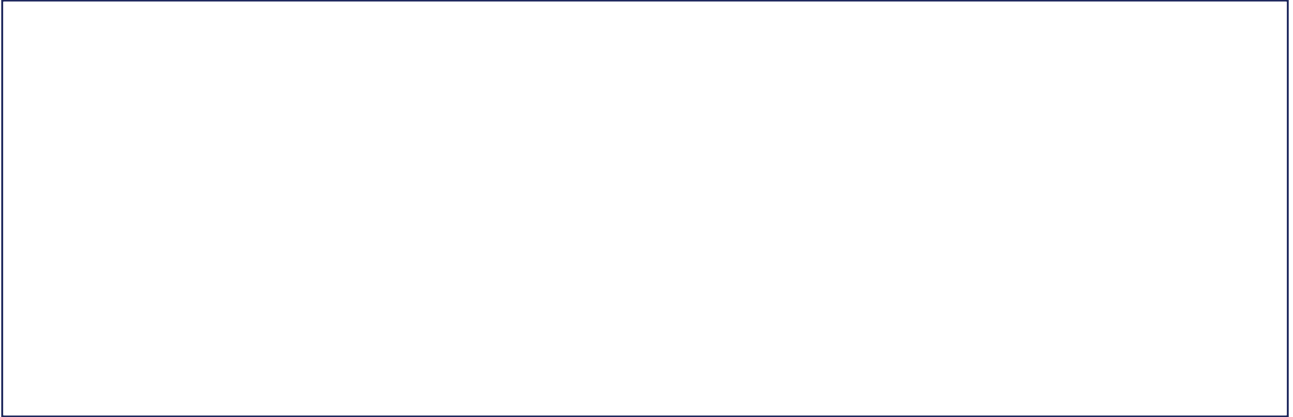
2. When we walk on dry leaves in Autumn, they make a sound. What word describes the sound they make? (1 mark)

3. Does the weather feel warmer or cooler in Autumn compared to Summer? (1 mark)

4. Why do some trees drop their leaves in Autumn? Tick or write down if you think they are 'waking up' or 'getting ready to rest'. (1 mark)

5. If you found a conker on the ground, would you put it in your pocket or leave it for a squirrel to find? Why? (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of an Autumn tree with falling leaves. Use your favourite Autumn colours like red, orange, and yellow.



Extension challenge: Go for a walk outside with an adult. Collect three different shaped leaves and bring them back to the classroom to sort them by size or colour.