

## Leaf Themed Games for OutDoors

## HIDE THE LEAF AND SEEK ...

- While children are out of the room (or if in room have them cover their eyes) hide a leaf.
  (The leaf can be 'real' or draw on cardboard and cut out.) Hide the leaf where the children will need to search—but not too difficult to find
- Instruct the kids to sit down in a pre-designated spot when they see the hidden leaf.
- After all children are sitting—the first child to 'spot' the leaf hides it for the 'next game'.

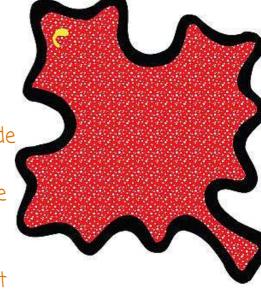
## LEAF, LEAF, PINECONE....

 The Leaf, Leaf, Pinecone is a version of the classic "Duck, Duck, Goose" with a nature-friendly twist.

 This game is best played out-doors, but you can also gather pinecones and play this traditional game inside

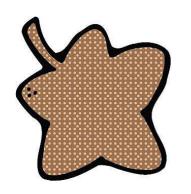
on a rainy day.

 Whoever is "it" must not only touch the heads of the other players, saying, "Leaf, leaf, leaf," but must also drop a fresh pinecone in the lap of the child they choose before running back around the circle without being tagged. The person trying to tag "it" can touch "it" with a hand above the waist or with the pinecone below the waist



## Don't Leaf Me Hanging

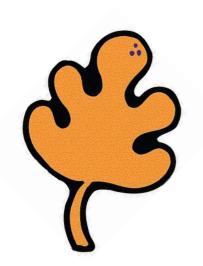
Leaf Scavenger Hunt



A crunchy leaf

A leaf with a hole in it

A leaf with rounded edges



A yellow leaf

A red leaf

A brown leaf



A green leaf



A orange leaf

place a check mark by each item found



