



FIR TREE **forest school**

Lessons to do outdoors

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Egg Box Treasure Challenge

Science & Literacy



Even in the most concrete filled school grounds, there's treasure to be found!

What you need

Egg boxes, pens, small pieces of paper

What you do

Find a different natural or man-made object to go in each section, name it, describe it, talk about it.

- * Explore, identify, sort natural/manmade objects
- * Investigate textures, shape, colour
- * Expand vocabulary and observation skills
- * Great way to learn about seeds!

Leaf & Petal Printing

Science & Art



Boys aren't interested in leaf and petal patterns...think again! (the hammer helps!)

What you need

A square of kitchen towel or cotton (an old sheet), a hard flat surface, a hammer/mallet

What you do

Make a leaf/petal sandwich with the cotton/paper towel, tap lightly with a hammer, un-peel and reveal!

- * Discover plants on your school grounds, stinging nettles work best!
- * Identify and investigate plants
- * Create beautiful natural art

Leaf Crowns

Science & Art



Let your little “Prince and Princesses” create their own nature inspired royal wonderland

What you need

Strips of card, double sided sticky tape

What you do

Take a walk around your outdoor space, collect interesting leaves, petals, grasses etc and stick to the card, curl the card round to make a crown...ta da!

- * Find out about leaves and plants on your school grounds
- * Collect and sort sizes and shapes
- * Encourages imaginative/role play - Links well with medieval/castle topic