EANUS THE EARTH

JUMP INTO FALL



The colorful leaves of autumn signify the change of seasons and serve as a beautiful reminder of the important role leaves play in their eco-system. Even once they have fallen, leaves enrich the soil and provide essential nutrients to the trees from whence they came!

Use this activity sheet to jump into fall and appreciate the beauty and importance of leaves!

Share your leaf art on social media!



GET STARTED!

Instructions:

- l. Find a place outside with lots of different trees. This can be a park, a nearby forest, a street corner, or even your backyard. You will be amazed to learn how many different trees exist in your very own neighborhood!
- 2. Take a moment to notice and appreciate the leaves of these trees. What color are they? Are the leaves still on the trees or mostly on the ground? Are they crunchy or soft?
- 3. Next, collect 3-4 leaves from the ground. Don't pick them off the tree, it needs them! Be sure to only take a few from the ground because even fallen leaves are important to the environment.
- 4. Then, place each leaf behind one square on the following page. Take a crayon and shade over the paper where the leaf is so the shape of the leaf appears on the paper.
- 5. Finally, you can cut out each leaf and make a piece of art out of them or tape the whole page up so you can admire your beautiful leaf drawings!



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