# **Sensory Pathway Home Learning:**

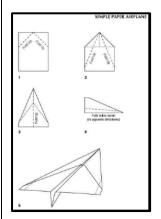
**Topic: Seasons- Autumn** 

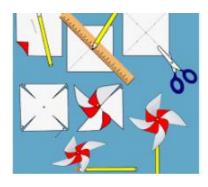
**Term: Spring** 

Lesson	Activities	Resources
Music	Autumn Songs: Leaf Little Leaf- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QRbI0B6I5xo Scare Crow- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=geFvOfBQNbE Autumn Leaves Are Falling Down-https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CyJIfdA71Lc	Access to YouTube and space to move and dance
Art / DT	Homemade Paint: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=20ApiVgm9GI">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=20ApiVgm9GI</a> Some painting ideas you might want to try at home using items you may have around the house such as a scrubbing brush, ear buds, a peg and cotton wool.  Keywords: paint, leave, tree, dab, colour names	Flour water food colouring scrubbing brush ear buds pegs cotton wool
		paper  Paint or
	Be creative and make some leafy creatures or a leafy hedgehog  Keywords: Hedgehog, creatures (e.g. bug names) glue/stick, eyes, legs, leaf	markers Pipe cleaner or Twigs Dry leaves Paper plate Glue
	Wind Activities: Make a windmill	Paper Straw or pencil Scissors Sellotape or
	Easy paper planes	glue
	Plastic bag kites 300000+ Ylews	Paper Sellotape

Watch this tutorial on how to make a diamond kite from a plastic bag <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=Eas1yAsWhnM">https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=Eas1yAsWhnM</a>

Keywords: Plane, fly, kite, wind, blowing, 123 go





Plastic bag String Scissors sticks (kebab sticks or chopsticks)

#### Maths

**Colour Sorting- Leaves:** While out walking or in the garden, collect some leaves and other natural items. Model sorting the leaves by one colour at time. You can also sort leaves, sticks and other things you find outside by size or order them from small to big. Sorting and counting the items is fun too.



Leaves
Sticks
Conkers
Natural items
collected
Coloured paper
(optional)
Pegs
Paper plate
Marker

#### **Counting Songs:**

How Many Leaves Do You See?

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GtCiE4aK9QA&list=PLzGJKz3LNR-PklrbBdsMlKVpXHv-YhO2 &index=2&t=0s

Autumn Leaves are Falling Down

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rMbVTVAoUs8

10 Little Leaves

<u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VjaehjV5YqE</u> ( you can cut out leaves and role play this song)

**Keywords:** Numbers, leaves, sticks, conkers (other item names you collected e.g. pinecone), counting/numbers, how many? Big, small, colour

Access to YouTube

### names **English** Reading: Access to Little Acorn Story YouTube https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ibG6UxmbS0Y Sand flour salt Mark-Making: Using flour, salt or cornflour or even baby powder create a sensory writing tray. powder Using your finger (ear bud, stick, pencil...) Tray model making a mark in the tray or forming a letter. WRITING leaves) Activities involving the skill to blow strengthen and develop the muscles around the face and help with communication. Finger Blowing activities- Using a straw blow the cotton wool (or rolled up tissue) Ear bud around the tray or even make a track using tape Stick Pencil Straws





Jolly Phonics Songs <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TI-pfeaErY4">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TI-pfeaErY4</a> W Sound Jolly Phonics W - YouTube

#### **Pencil Control:**

Colouring autumn images (attached at the end) Mark making and tracing sheets (attached at the end)

**Keywords:** Big lines down, big line across, little line down, little line across, acorn, leaf, hold, blow, (characters in the story), Acorn, squirrel, fox, rabbit, worm, tree, spider, bird

#### Science

#### Playdough:





cornflour baby Letter models (e.g. magnetic letters or letters written on Writing tools Cotton wool Or tissue rolled into a small ball Access to YouTube Colouring images and mark making pages at end to be printed

Flour Salt Cream of tartar Oil Water Food colouring **Spices** Bowl Natural resources Cutters Rolling pin









Salt Dough: (you can add food colouring and spices as well )





**Keywords:** Roll, squeeze, mix, squash, names of animals you are making e.g. hedgehog, spider... leaf, stick, press

### **Sensory Exploration:**

To colour pasta or rice put pasta/rice in a sealed bag add two tablespoons of vinegar and food colouring. Seal bag and move the pasta/rice around until it is all covered/coloured. Place the pasta/rice on paper towels making sure they are all spread



Rice
Pasta
Vinegar
Food colouring
Tray
Tissues

out and wait for them to dry (approx. 12 hours) once it is dry you will need to mix them around to loosen them up as they may be stuck together. These are great for sensory trays for mark making and exploring. If you use the larger pasta, it is great for threading.

Keywords: Explore, touch, look, sprinkle, scoop, pour, mix, sort, rice, pasta

#### **Sensory Tray Ideas:**









Spoon **Bowls** Muffin tray Cups Sieve









Fruit Vegetables Chopping board Knife **Bowls** 







Exploring autumn fruit and vegetables, e.g. carrots, beetroots, apples, exploring their textures, taste, smell, making prints with them; cutting, mashing, squeezing etc.

**Keywords:** Carrots, beetroots, apples, explore, textures, taste, smell, cutting, mashing, squeezing, fill, pour

Wind blow wind- attach some ribbon to a fan, some long, some short, let your child turn the fan on and watch the ribbons dance in the wind.

Keywords: Wind, ribbon, fan, blow, dance

Fan Ribbons

#### Computing

#### **CBeebies:**

https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/search?q=autumn



Access to BBC and an iPad

## iPad Apps:

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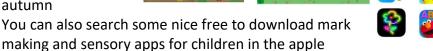












#### Cooking





See recipes for the ingredients

- 7 oz plain flour
- 2 teaspoons ground ginger
- 1 teaspoons mixed spice
- 3 oz butte
- 2 tablespoons golden syrup
- 2 oz sugar
- 1 teaspoon bicarbonate of soda
- 1 desert spoon of water



- 1. Preheat the oven to gas mark 5 / 190 C and grease two baking trays with butter.
- 2. Heat the butter, sugar and golden syrup in a pan, but don't let them boil.
- 3. Stir in the flour and spices.
- 4. Dissolve the bicarbonate of soda in the water and add to the mixture.
- 5. Knead it into a ball and then roll out on to a floured surface.
- 6. You can make diferent shapes and use cookie cutters to make biscuits whatever you like. If you're making gingerbread men, add raisins for eyes / mouth / buttons.
- 7. Bake until golden (time will depend on how big your cookies are, but check after 10 minutes).
- 8. Lay them on a cooling rack. If you want to add icing wait until the biscuits are completely cool.

Enjoy!



# **Teddy Bear Pizzas**

★★★★ 5 reviews · 1.5 hours · These adorable pizzas are great for any occasion – whether it's an after-school snack or a weekend party.



Follow

#### 2 ingredients

Baking & Spices 300 g Bread flour, strong

#### Other

100 g Passata 1 tsp tomato puree 2 balls mozzarella 4 slices ham, diced black olives

# 6 ingredients

#### **Baking & Spices**

- 500 g Bread flour, strong
- 1 packet Quick action yeast
- 1 pinch Salt
- 1 tbsp Sugar

#### Oils & Vinegars

2 tosp Sunflower oil

#### Liquids

240 ml Water

Keywords: Pour, mix, stir, make, roll, cook

## Movement Break Ideas

Apple Tree Yoga- <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hOOKQimko4M">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hOOKQimko4M</a> 'Leaves Are Falling'/'Wind is Blowing'(on the tune of 'Little Snowflake' song <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tbbKjDjMDok">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tbbKjDjMDok</a>)

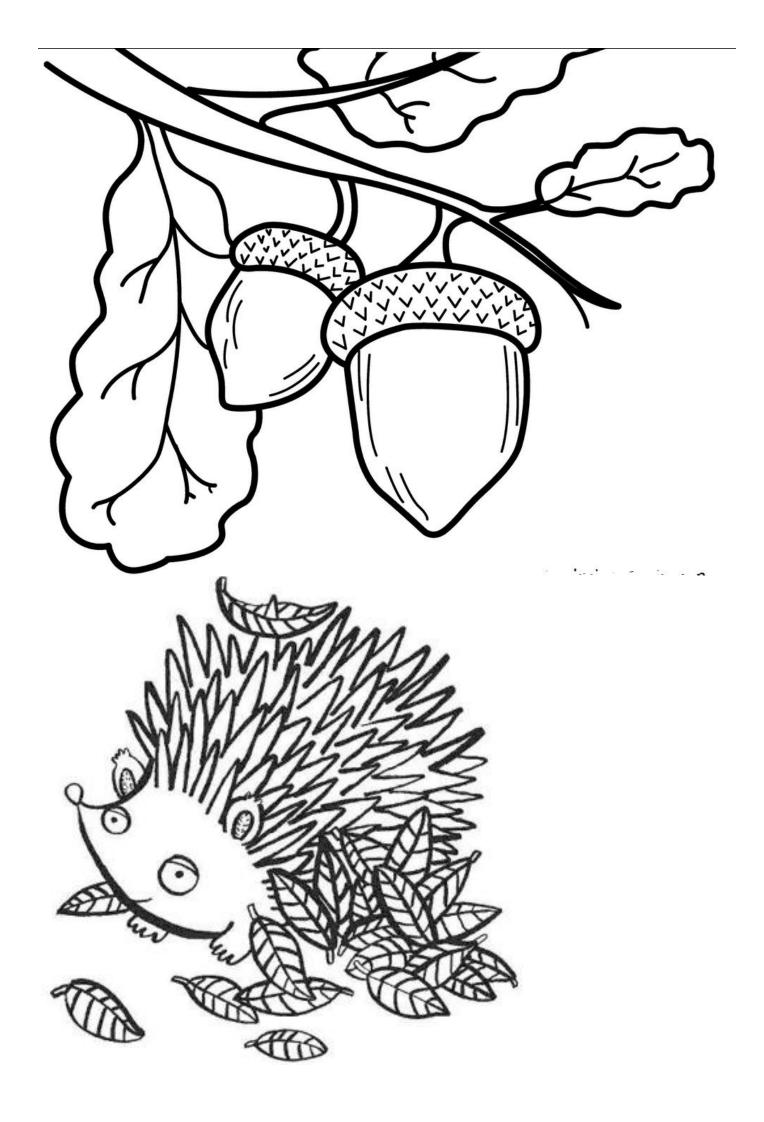
Access to YouTube and space to move

## I'm a Little Hedgehog Song

\*Sing to the tune of 'I'm a Little Teapot'

I'm a little hedgehog, Brown and small. Very prickly, Not that tall. When I'm feeling frightened, Away I crawl, And curl up, into a ball! I'm a little hedgehog, Build my nest, When it's autumn, Leaves are the best. If you build bonfire, Have you guessed? Check inside, I might be having a rest!





Name: \_\_\_\_

