

## **Activity – Texture hunt**

### **Key areas of learning:**

- Science – recognition of different texture
- Out in the community

### **What you will need:**

- Local park/ woods
- Symbols

### **Keywords:**

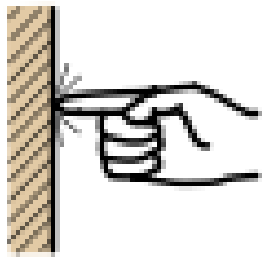
Hard, soft, Crunchy, Spikey, rough, smooth, wet, dry.

### **What to do:**

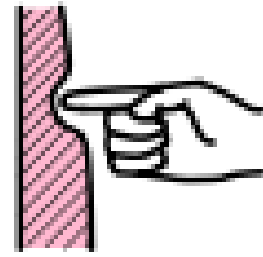
- Yourself, child and family go for a walk to the nearest local park or woods to go on a hunt for different textures.
- Model picking up different items along your walk for example you find a stick. 'Oh! look a stick, a stick is hard'.
- Encourage your child to feel and explore the stick. Can they find the correct symbol to match the texture of the item?
- Jump in puddles, can they answer if their Wellies are wet or dry?

### **Extension:**

- Take paper and crayons and take rubbings of the textures you find on your walk.



hard



soft



wet



dry



crunchy



spikey



rough



smooth