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Enjoy fun interactive activities to use your senses to explore and learn about the plants in the forest.

This is a half day activity, add a second half day activity to make your own programme for your day at Suntrap. Click <u>here</u> for KS1 activities.

Learning Objectives

- to treat the environment with care and sensitivity
- explore and appreciate the natural forest environment
- to identify and name some common wild plants found in the forest
- to identify and describe the basic structure of trees

Some suggestions for visit preparation

- 1. Introduce important vocabulary: roots, trunk, leaves, deciduous, evergreen
- 2. Discuss what plants need to grow.

Follow on suggestions

- 1. Try sprouting some vegetable scraps you can find out more on our website here.
- 2. Do some leaf rubbing to make a card.

National curriculum links

Y1 Science

Plants

- identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees
- identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees







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