



# Reception Topic Autumn



## Subject Specific Vocabulary

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| <b>Weather</b>     | Weather is what the sky and the air outside are like, such as cold and cloudy.                    |
| <b>Leaf/leaves</b> | Leaves grow on trees. They are green in summer and spring. In Autumn they die and change colour.  |
| <b>Autumn</b>      | The season after summer and before winter. The weather becomes cooler and leaves on trees change. |
| <b>Season</b>      | There are four seasons. Winter, Spring, Summer and Autumn.                                        |
| <b>Hibernate</b>   | Describes a long dormant state of sleep. Some animals hibernate through the autumn and winter     |



## Other Vocabulary

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| Crunchy | Conker    | Hedgehog  |
| Spikey  | Leaf      | Bat       |
| Smooth  | Pine Cone | Toad      |
| Rough   | Acorn     | Door mice |
| Changes | Stick     | Nest      |
| Crisp   | Colourful |           |

## Make It Stick

- Autumn is the time of year between September and November.
- Many leaves fall off the trees and die. Their colour changes from green.
- Weather becomes crisp and wet.
- Seasons change throughout the year. There are four seasons, Autumn, Spring, Summer and Winter.
- Some animals hibernate such as hedgehogs, door mice, toads, bees and bats. They stay in a state of sleep for the autumn and winter.