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Be a real Nature Detective!

How many of these wintry treasures can you collect?



Birch catkins



A lichen-covered twig



Spiky, shiny holly leaves



Long, tickly pine needles



A cone smaller than your thumb



Winter scavenger hunt

Get collecting!



Tough, smooth evergreen leaves



Lacy leaf skeletons



Smooth, striped cherry tree bark



A ripe cone



A green cone waiting to ripen



Rough, cracked oak bark



Bumpy, jigsaw-patterned Scots pine bark

Trees keep what they still need. Please only collect from the woodland floor.

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