Leaf Rubbing Activity

Here is a great activity that allows you to look more closely at the different leaves found in your own backyard!

**Materials**
- Leaves of different shapes and sizes
- Crayons with wrappers removed
- Paper

**Step 1**
Collect dried or freshly fallen leaves of different shapes, sizes, and colors.

**Step 2**
On a hard flat surface, place a leaf bottom side up on a piece of paper.

**Step 3**
Select the crayon colors you would like to use! Make sure the wrappers are removed.

**Step 4**
Rub the side of a crayon gently on the area over the leaf.

**Step 5**
Try to keep the leaf in place with one hand while you color with the other hand.

**Step 6**
You can use one color or multiple colors!