



## Forest Friends

**Get creative outdoors and make your own monster friend!**

### You will need

Some air-dry clay or play-dough. We like to use this play-dough recipe:  
½ cup salt, 1 cup plain flour, 1 tablespoon cream of tartar,  
1 tablespoon olive oil, 1 cup warm water

Take a handful of the play-dough, then find the perfect stick and firmly squeeze the ball of play-dough onto the top of it. Make sure it is nice and secure because you don't want it to fall off or slip down your stick.

Go for a stroll through the forest, your local park or hunt around your garden for natural things to create your monster.



### You could use



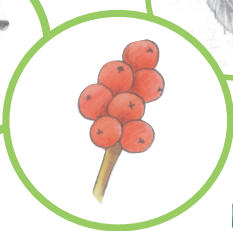
leaves



nuts + seeds



sticks



berries



feathers

**What else can you find...?**

The Gruffalo is our favourite forest monster so we used orange leaves for his eyes, beech masts for his ears and bits of wood for his terrible teeth and terrible tusks, and not forgetting a green berry for the poisonous wart on the end of his nose!

**Why not have a competition with your friends to see who can create the scariest monster?**

