

**Leaf Painting / Rubbing** – Choose some different leaves and explore their shape and texture. What can you see? Do you know the name of the tree the leaves have come from?

Paint the underside of the leaves and then press down onto white paper. If you don't have paints, put the leaf underneath the paper (underside upwards) and rub with crayon.

What do you notice?

KUW, CLL.



**Message on a Banana Experiment**– Use a cocktail stick to write a message or draw a picture on the skin of a banana. Press firmly enough to dent the skin, but not too hard to break the skin. Wait for the message / picture to appear!!!!

CLL, KUW, Maths



## Outdoor Planning Summer Week 2



**Mini Bug Hotel**– using part of a plastic bottle or milk bottle and objects from the garden, create a mini bug hotel. Check regularly to see what bugs have made it their home.

Can you draw and label them?

KUW, CLL, Writing, Physical development.

**Cloud Gazing** – Spend some time gazing up at the clouds. Discussing what you can see encourages verbal literacy, descriptive skills and creating ideas. Can you make up stories to link the different things you can see in the clouds.

Expressive Art and Design, Exploring and using media and materials.



**Design and make your own instruments** – use your recyclables to make your own instruments. Can you play a tune and sing a song too?

