

Essex Children's University & Suffolk Children's University

Autumn Challenge 1

Complete your challenge and take the evidence into your school for CU Learning Credits to be awarded. Alternatively email your evidence to admin@essexchildrensuniversity.co.uk

Musical Masterpieces

Learn to play or sing a piece of music by heart

You will need to stick with your piece of music and plan some practice sessions. You may even make some mistakes along the way – but don't give us, we all need to make a few mistakes to get better! Why not show off your piece to your family with a mini concert?

1 hour of CU Learning

**Pick a song you like.
Rewrite the song in a different musical style OR write your own lyrics to change the meaning of the song**

Is your version even better than the original?

Share your version with someone else and play them the original – ask for some feedback.

What did they like about their favourite version?

1 hour of CU Learning

Blue Peter Badge



Did you know that there are a range of Blue Peter Badges, awarded across a range of interests? Children aged 6 to 15 are able to [apply for a Blue Peter Badge](#) and Badge owners can gain free entry to over 200 Blue Peter Badge Attractions around the country, including theme parks, zoos and castles.

1 hour of CU Learning per badge

Get Creative

Create your own Autumn Artwork in either 3D or 2D

Gather some Autumn leaves that have dropped from the trees, there are some beautiful colours to be found, keep a look out for cones, acorns and conkers too.

Using everything you have found, create a picture or a sculpture. Stuck for an idea? Why not turn colourful leaves into a dazzling firework display?

1 hour of CU Learning

Words of Autumn



How many words can you think of which describe the Autumn Season? Aim for at least 20 -30 words.

Using these words, write a poem or a short story

1 hour of CU Learning

Hibernation

Autumn is the season when hibernation begins.

What does hibernation mean?

Which animals hibernate?

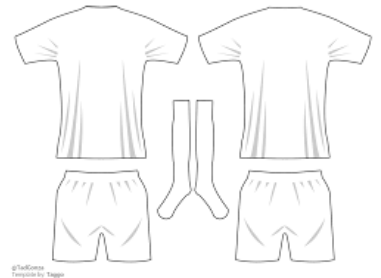
How could you help animals to find a safe place for hibernation this Autumn?

1 hour of CU Learning



Visit the [Nature Detectives website](#) for awesome autumn activities!
30 minutes of CU Learning for each activity completed

Design your own football strip



Trace or redraw the football strip above and design and create your very own football kit

30 minutes of CU Learning

Children's University and Me



Create a piece of persuasive writing, with pictures too/photographs of you taking part, if you would like to include some, to encourage other children in your school and in other schools to get involved with Children's University.

Tell them about your experience, what you enjoy, some of the things you have learned, places you have visited and what the CU Graduation ceremony is like and how CU makes you feel.

Send a copy of your story to us and we will share them.

1.5 hours of CU Learning