Leaf or Bark Rubbing

When leaves fall from the tree, it is a great time to look at them closely and make a great piece of art. Place a leaf or bark under this paper inside the square below. Then rub the leaf or bark using your pencil or a crayon.

You Need:
• crayons or a pencil
• clipboard
• leaves

Do you know why leaves fall from the trees? In the Fall, the days are growing shorter, so there is less sunlight. Trees use sunlight to make food. The leaves fall because the trees can't make enough food to keep them on their branches.

Can you see the veins in the leaves? The veins bring nutrients to all of the leaves.