

Wild About Colchester



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EXPLORE
COLCHESTER!

BINGO SHEET 4: WILD FOOD

Our gardens, parks and green open spaces are an amazing place for little people, with big imaginations, to explore. Use the images to help you search. Most of these items can be found in your garden or local park or green space. Some require you to visit a specific location. Can you find all six items. There will be a new bingo sheet every week of the summer holidays.



Do you or anyone around you feed the birds? If not, why don't you start?



Look for an Oyster shell. Oysters are often seen as posh or rare food today, but at one time everyone ate them.



Can you see any bees? Bees are good for humans as they make honey. The Romans thought this was the food of the Gods and called it ambrosia.



Spot some fruit on a tree, which can be eaten by both people and animals.



Find some blackberries. They are often the first wild fruit we can recognise. Do be careful of the prickly brambles though!



Find a patch of nettles. We think of nettles as a problem, but they are amazing plants. You can make soup, add it to salads and in WW1 Germans even had uniforms made of nettles!

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REMEMBER TO...

- **Take care:** you are responsible for the safety of yourself and your party
- **Respect COVID-19** social distancing and group gathering guidelines
- **Respect** any ancient monument and remember to put your rubbish in a bin or take it home with you
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