

Materials: Paper (leaf templates/letter cards), markers, scissors, tape

Age(s): Toddlers

**Directions:** Print out at least 26 leaf templates and write a different letter of the alphabet on each one. Tape these templates on the ground. Print out a fewsets of alphabet letter cards to give to the child. Have the child work on matching the letter to the letters of the leaf templates on the floor. Work with them to say the letter on the card, give the sound of the letter, and then match the letter to the leaf template taped to the floor.

**Modification:** Add pictures to letters on leaf templates. Have them jump, hop, or leap to different letters. Laminate real leaves and add letters to them. Use chalk and do the same activity outside.

## **FAMILY ENGAGEMENT**