



SEED STUDY

Autumn is a good time to find the seeds of many plants and trees. Seeds come in lots of different shapes and sizes, and they have all kinds of ways to get to new places to grow. Go on a seed hunt and see what you find!

Keep a Record!

Date _____ Time _____

Location _____

Weather _____

Helpful Things to Take Along:

- Magnifying glass
- Field guides to plants, wildflowers, and trees (if you want to look up their names)

Can you spot

- a seed with silky hairs that help it travel on the wind?
- a sticky seed that grabs on and hitchhikes for a ride?
- a seed with a wing that makes it whirl away like a helicopter?
- a seed inside a berry, fruit, or nut that might get a lift from a hungry animal?

Draw and describe the seeds you find in the boxes below. Make a note of how you think each one travels to get to a good place to grow.

