

# Amazing Leaf Craft Ideas for School Projects

## Green Leaf Crafts

1. Make leaf crowns by gluing green leaves to paper headbands.
2. Make leaf bookmarks using tape and pretty green leaves.
3. Make leaf boats by folding big leaves like small boats.
4. Make leaf masks by cutting eye holes in big leaves.
5. Make leaf animals by putting leaves together to look like animals.
6. Make leaf prints by painting leaves and pressing them on paper.
7. Make small leaf houses for toys using leaves and sticks.
8. Make leaf garlands by tying leaves on colorful string.
9. Make leaf puppets by gluing leaves on craft sticks.
10. Make leaf necklaces using little pretty leaves and string.
11. Make leaf puzzles by cutting leaves into puzzle shapes.
12. Make leaf stamps by cutting fun shapes into thick leaves.
13. Make hanging leaf art with string and nice leaves.
14. Make leaf robots by gluing leaves on cardboard robot shapes.
15. Make leaf flowers by rolling leaves into flower shapes.
16. Make leaf fans by gluing leaves on paper handles.
17. Make butterfly wings with matching leaves and pipe cleaners.
18. Make leaf fish by putting leaves together like swimming fish.
19. Make leaf drums by stretching leaves over tin cans.
20. Make leaf rainbows using leaves in all rainbow colors.
21. Make picture frames with leaves all around the photo.

- 22. Make funny leaf monsters by adding googly eyes to leaves.
- 23. Make leaf windmills by gluing leaves to spinning sticks.
- 24. Make leaf balls by wrapping leaves around small balls.
- 25. Make magical animals by mixing different leaves together.

## **Leaf Crafts for Preschoolers**

- 26. Glue big leaves on paper to make easy animals.
- 27. Press leaves in wax paper to make decorations.
- 28. Rub crayons on paper over leaves to make leaf shapes.
- 29. Make a leaf collage by gluing many leaves on cardboard.
- 30. Paint leaves with watercolor to make rainbow leaf art.
- 31. Trace hands around leaves to make leaf handprints.
- 32. Glue leaves between plastic to make suncatchers.
- 33. Stack leaves from big to small to make towers.
- 34. Add eyes and mouths to leaves to make faces.
- 35. Make pretend flower beds with leaves like gardens.
- 36. Glue leaves in square shapes to make leaf quilts.
- 37. Wrap leaves around craft sticks to make dolls.
- 38. Use leaves and wood to make wind chimes.
- 39. Glue leaves into shapes to make 3D art.
- 40. Cover paper with pretty leaves to make placemats.
- 41. Fold paper and glue leaves to make cards.
- 42. Glue leaves to magnets to make fridge decorations.
- 43. Glue leaves on brown paper to make treasure maps.
- 44. Press leaves into playdough to make stepping stones.

45. Make pretend sandwiches with leaves and paper slices.
46. Glue leaves to cardboard wheels to make race cars.
47. Arrange leaves like toppings to make leaf pizza.
48. Stack leaves in cone shapes to make ice cream.
49. Make castles using leaves as the walls and roof.
50. Decorate leaf layers with flowers to make birthday cakes.

### **Autumn Leaf Art for Kids**

51. Paint fall leaves using orange and yellow colors.
52. Make leaf turkeys by putting leaves in turkey shapes.
53. Glue leaves on drawn branches to make leaf trees.
54. Make pumpkins using orange leaves in round shapes.
55. Glue leaves on circles to make autumn wreaths.
56. Make scarecrows with leaf clothes and straw hair.
57. Build tiny villages with colorful leaf houses.
58. Make farm scenes with falling autumn leaves.
59. Cut faces in orange leaves to make jack-o-lanterns.
60. String leaves together to make fall banners.
61. Roll leaves into cone shapes for cornucopias.
62. Glue brown leaves to ovals to make acorns.
63. Layer leaves in triangle shapes to make mountains.
64. Glue red leaves on trees to make apple trees.
65. Put yellow leaves in rows to make corn stalks.
66. Use brown and orange leaves to make owls.
67. Use orange leaves to make cute leaf foxes.

- 68. Glue leaves in sunset colors to make sunset pictures.
- 69. Use orange leaves to make pumpkin patches.
- 70. Arrange brown leaves to look like squirrels.
- 71. Make quilts with leaves in cool quilt patterns.
- 72. Glue leaves to wagon pictures to show hayrides.
- 73. Make barns using red leaves in barn shapes.
- 74. Add autumn leaves to spinning sticks for windmills.
- 75. Make harvest parties using leaves as decorations.

### **Paper Leaf Craft Ideas**

- 76. Cut paper leaves and paint them with watercolors.
- 77. Tape paper leaves together to make leaf chains.
- 78. Fold paper leaves into flower shapes.
- 79. Make butterflies with paper leaves as wings.
- 80. Glue paper leaves on tree branches to make trees.
- 81. Tie leaf pages together with yarn to make books.
- 82. Glue paper leaves onto cards to make postcards.
- 83. Connect paper leaves with bands to make crowns.
- 84. Fold paper leaves into cool 3D shapes.
- 85. Glue paper leaves to spinning sticks to make windmills.
- 86. Cut paper leaves into tiny pieces for mosaics.
- 87. Glue paper leaves to tubes to make lanterns.
- 88. Stack paper leaves to make paper flowers.
- 89. Connect leaves with ribbon to make pretty garlands.
- 90. Fold paper into animal shapes using leaf designs.

91. Cut eye holes to make leaf masks.
92. Hang paper leaves on sticks to make mobiles.
93. Fold paper leaves like fans to make hand fans.
94. Decorate paper leaves and cover them to make bookmarks.
95. Glue leaves around photo edges to make frames.
96. Fold paper leaves into box shapes.
97. Cut and decorate paper leaf people to make dolls.
98. Make necklaces with small paper leaves.
99. Glue paper leaves on sticks to make puppets.
100. Build little leaf homes using folded paper leaves.

## **Leaf Science Projects**

101. Sort leaves into groups to study leaf shapes.
102. Press leaves from many trees to make a collection.
103. Make charts with leaf names and trees they come from.
104. Use a magnifying glass to look closely at small leaves.
105. Test if leaves float or sink in water.
106. Compare leaf colors from different trees.
107. Watch leaves each day to see how they change.
108. Show where different leaves grow to make habitats.
109. Show how leaves grow in steps for life cycles.
110. Feel different leaves and talk about how they feel.
111. Measure leaves with rulers and write the sizes.
112. Group leaves by size or color for sorting games.
113. Draw and write in a notebook about leaf changes.

- 114. Look at leaf lines and shapes to find patterns.
- 115. Trace leaf shadows to see how they move in a day.
- 116. Test how leaves take in water using food color.
- 117. Watch old leaves break down to learn about decomposition.
- 118. Fold leaves to see if both sides match.
- 119. Plant seeds and watch how new leaves grow.
- 120. Sort leaves into science groups for classification.
- 121. Use leaves to test how healthy the soil is.
- 122. Learn how leaves make food for plants (photosynthesis).
- 123. Make models that show how leaves help animals in nature.
- 124. Watch leaf colors change to guess about the weather.
- 125. Press leaves into clay to make leaf fossil shapes.

## **Leaf Art and Painting**

- 126. Use brushes to paint leaves with bright colors.
- 127. Spray paint around leaf shapes to make leaf pictures.
- 128. Paint leaves with fingers to make art.
- 129. Use watercolor paints to paint leaves.
- 130. Use thick paint like acrylic on top of leaves.
- 131. Draw around leaves with chalk to make outlines.
- 132. Color leaves with soft pastels for smooth pictures.
- 133. Melt crayons on top of leaves to make crayon art.
- 134. Use markers to color the leaves.
- 135. Use leaves instead of paintbrushes to make art.
- 136. Paint leaves on canvas to make canvas art.

137. Paint leaves onto cloth to make fabric pictures.
138. Paint leaf designs on rocks.
139. Paint leaf shapes onto wooden boards.
140. Paint leaves on clear glass to make window art.
141. Paint leaf designs on clay pots.
142. Paint leaves onto tiles for tile art.
143. Paint leaves on thick paper for leaf paper art.
144. Paint big leaf pictures on walls for murals.
145. Paint leaf shapes on paper and lay it on the floor.
146. Hang painted leaves from the ceiling for ceiling art.
147. Paint clear windows with leaf shapes for window art.
148. Paint doors with leaf designs for door art.
149. Paint wooden furniture with leaf pictures.
150. Paint outdoor decorations with leaves for garden art.

### **Leaf Decorations and Displays**

151. Put leaves in pretty groups to decorate tables.
152. Glue leaves on cloth to make wall hangings.
153. Put leaves in vases to make table centerpieces.
154. Tie leaves on string to make leaf garlands.
155. Use ribbon to hang leaves like banners.
156. Glue leaves on circle frames to make wreaths.
157. Put leaves together like a bunch of flowers for bouquets.
158. Hang leaves in curved lines to make swags.
159. Glue leaves to cone shapes for topiaries.

160. Fill boxes with leaves to make window box art.
161. Hang leaves from the door to decorate the doorway.
162. Put leaves on the fireplace mantle to decorate.
163. Glue leaves around glass jars for candle holders.
164. Glue leaves on light shades to decorate lamps.
165. Decorate photo frames with pretty leaves.
166. Glue leaves on mirrors to make pretty borders.
167. Put leaves on wooden shelves for shelf displays.
168. Fill baskets with colorful leaves for fall decorations.
169. Put leaves in vases to make them look nice.
170. Hang leaves from lights to make leaf chandeliers.
171. Put leaves on stairs to decorate stair rails.
172. Place leaves on the porch for porch displays.
173. Stick leaves on fences for garden fences.
174. Glue leaves on mailboxes to decorate them.
175. Put leaves in gardens to make outdoor displays.

## **Leaf Games and Activities**

176. Play memory games by matching two leaves that look the same.
177. Go on a leaf hunt to find leaves from different trees.
178. Set up a course and jump over piles of leaves.
179. Blow leaves to a finish line to have a leaf race.
180. Sort leaves into groups by color, size, or shape.
181. Feel leaves with eyes closed and guess what they are.
182. Hide leaves in the yard and find them like treasure.



183. Carry leaves from one place to another in a relay race.
184. Toss leaves in the air and try to catch them.
185. Play hopscotch by using leaves instead of number squares.
186. Roll balls at leaves like bowling pins.
187. Play tic-tac-toe by using leaves as the Xs and Os.
188. Make playing cards with pictures drawn on leaves.
189. Make your own board game and use leaves as game pieces.
190. Cut leaves into puzzle shapes for puzzle games.
191. Match leaves that look alike to play a matching game.
192. Count leaves for fun adding and subtracting games.
193. Find leaves shaped like letters for alphabet games.
194. Sort leaves by color for fun color games.
195. Line up leaves from smallest to biggest for size games.
196. Look for leaves with different shapes for shape games.
197. Feel bumpy or smooth leaves for texture games.
198. Stack leaves as high as you can for balance games.
199. Toss leaves into baskets or boxes for a target game.
200. Pretend to be a leaf and dance in the wind.

## **Leaf Nature Studies**

201. Watch how leaves change colors during the seasons.
202. Draw and name leaves to make an identification book.
203. Show where leaves grow by drawing habitat maps.
204. Make a leaf family tree to show how leaves are alike.
205. Measure leaf growth over time to make growth charts.

206. Look for bugs that live on leaves for an insect study.
207. Watch birds that eat or use leaves to build nests.
208. Watch how weather like rain or wind affects leaves.
209. Learn how old leaves help soil stay healthy.
210. Watch how leaves take in and give out water.
211. Show how animals eat leaves in a food chain.
212. Make a model of nature showing how leaves help.
213. Study how leaves change to stay alive in cold weather.
214. Learn how leaves make food for plants through sunlight.
215. Study how leaves help plants make seeds.
216. See how leaves move around in nature to new places.
217. Learn ways to protect leaves and nature (conservation).
218. Study how dirty air or water can hurt leaves.
219. Learn how weather affects leaves in hot or cold places.
220. Map where different kinds of leaves grow in the world.
221. Watch leaves through the year to learn about seasons.
222. Learn the parts of a leaf and what each part does.
223. Compare leaves from the same tree to study leaf genetics.
224. Learn how leaves have changed over time in evolution.
225. Learn how leaves and other living things help each other.

### **Leaf Holiday and Seasonal Crafts**

226. Make turkeys for Thanksgiving using colorful autumn leaves.
227. Glue green leaves into triangle shapes to make Christmas trees.
228. Use orange and black leaves to make Halloween crafts.

229. Weave leaves into small baskets for Easter decorations.
230. Arrange red leaves into heart shapes for Valentine's Day.
231. Roll leaves into pretty flowers to show springtime.
232. Glue leaves to paper fans for summer fun.
233. Cut leaves into snowflake shapes for winter crafts.
234. Stack leaf shapes to look like birthday cakes.
235. Roll leaves like scrolls to make pretend diplomas for graduation.
236. Make a bouquet of leaf flowers for Mother's Day.
237. Shape leaves like tools for a Father's Day craft.
238. Make a flag from red, white, and blue leaves for July 4th.
239. Decorate leaves for bookmarks to use at back-to-school time.
240. Cut leaves into little pieces for New Year's confetti.
241. Make a round leaf globe for Earth Day.
242. Arrange leaves in a circle to make a Memorial Day wreath.
243. Shape leaves into tools to show Labor Day jobs.
244. Fold leaves into boats to show Columbus Day.
245. Cut star shapes from leaves to make medals for Veterans Day.
246. Stack leaves into shapes of buildings for Presidents Day.
247. Use leaves to make peace signs for Martin Luther King Day.
248. Trace leaf shadows outside for Groundhog Day.
249. Make green shamrocks using leaves for St. Patrick's Day.
250. Use bright, colorful leaves to decorate for Cinco de Mayo.