Making and using keys

Making a key - using leaves (mainly from tree and hedgerow plants)
(see booklet, page 21)

Example of a key to six tree leaves

This key uses leaves of Holly, Cherry, Beech, Honeysuckle, Sycamore and Field Maple. It shows how children could construct a key, using some of the leaves shown on page 24 and incorporating images of leaves into the key. The same key appears in a different format in the left hand diagram of Figure 17, on page 34 of the booklet.