



I-Spy - Summer



Tick the magnifying glass if you spot these signs of summer on your walk.



Green leaves



Flowers

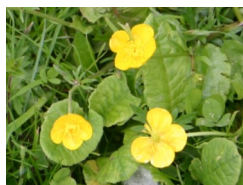
To maintain our chalk flower meadows, we graze them with sheep and cattle - without this, they would eventually turn into woodland.



Ground Ivy



Buttercup



Vetch



Clover



Turn over for more signs of summer

Insects

**Insects use colour in two ways.
Some use camouflage to blend in but others have
bright warning colours to warn of a nasty taste/poison
or have 'eyes' to frighten predators away.**



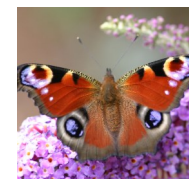
Woodlouse



Shield bug



**Peacock
butterfly**



Ladybird



Nettles and their mimics

**Nettle leaves are armed with stinging hairs
which stop animals from eating them. Look
out for nettle 'mimics' with similar leaves but
no sting - an adaptation against being eaten.**



**Yellow
archangel**



**White dead
nettle**



**If you have enjoyed this I-Spy, look out for more I-Spy
challenges in autumn, winter and spring.**

**For children between the ages of 4-16 who are interested
in nature and wildlife, the Box Moor Trust Rangers meet
on the third Saturday of every month. Please call 01442
253300 or visit our website for further details:
www.boxmoortrust.org.uk.**