**Alien Treasure Hunt**

**Ensure you are never an alien on this planet by finding these treasure plants hiding around Woodloes:**

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| **150 Points** | **Where?** |
|  |  **Hedges** |
| **Danger Level** |
|  **10 – a bit sticky** |
| **Fact** |
| **It is covered in little hooks and has lots of names: Cleavers, Goose Grass, and Sticky Willie.** |
| **Name: Sticky Weed** |

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| **200 Points** | **Where?** |
|  | **Climbing trees and over the ground** |
| **Danger Level** |
| **200 - Poisonous** |
| **Fact** |
| **The Leaves have two different shapes. It has strange flowers and berries in the Autumn.** |
| **Name: Ivy** |

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| **100 Points** | **Where?**  |
|  |  **Hedges** |
| **Danger Level** |
|  **50 – sharp thorns** |
| **Fact** |
| **Also known as “The May Tree” (it flowers in May) and “Bread and Chaeese”.** |
| **Name: Hawthorne** |

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| **300 Points each** | **Where?** |
|  |  **Woods and hedges** |
| **Danger Level** |
| **20 – its smell is weird**  |
| **Fact** |
| **The smell is anaesthetic and makes your nose unable to smell anything for a minute.** |
| **Name: Violets and White Violets** |

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| **200 Points** | **Where?** |
|  | **Large trees** |
| **Danger Level** |
| **10 – bitter tasting** |
| **Fact** |
| **It has been a wet Winter so the oak trees will be last to come into leaf this year – do you believe me?** |
| **Name: Oak** |

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| **250 Points** | **Where?** |
|  |  **Branches and walls** |
| **Danger Level** |
|  **0**  |
| **Fact** |
| **Lichens are made up of a fungus (mushroom) that supports microscoptic plants called algae. The plants have somewhere to live and they feed the fungus; so everyone is happy.** |
| **Name: Sun Burst Lichen**  **and Oak Moss Lichen** |

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| **150 Points** | **Where?** |
|  |  **Small Trees** |
| **Danger Level** |
| **30 – beware cyanide!** |
| **Fact** |
| **Plums, Almonds, Peaches, Nectarines, and Blackthorn (Sloes) are closely reated and all put cyanide into their seeds.** |
| **Name: Plum and Blackthorn** |

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| **300 Points** | **Where?** |
|  |  **Hedges** |
| **Danger Level** |
|  **10** |
| **Fact** |
| **The close up at night like daisies do.** |
| **Name: Lesser Celandine** |

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| **250 Points** | **Where?** |
|  | **Under Hedges** |
| **Danger Level** |
| **500 - Poisonous** |
| **Fact** |
| **Cuckoo Pint is poisonous, so wash your hands if you touched it! It has lots of different names like Arum Lily and Lords and Ladies. The flower is like a big, green bottle with a little stick in the middle. Some people say it looks like a little man with a cloak on; a lord. Later in the year the stick in the middle of the flower makes a clump of red berries which are POISONOUS! But that’s not all! Its also a fly trap! The flower captures midges in its base, Then it closes up and keeps them there all night, It even feeds them! But it doesn’t eat them, it lets them out in the morning covered in pollen!** |
| **Name: Cuckoo Pint** |

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| **2500 Points** | **Where?** |
|  | **Tall Trees** |
| **Danger Level** |
| **250 – beware falling branches** |
| **Fact** |
| **Ash trees are being killed by a fungus that makes them drop their branches.****Prize for the weirdest flowers!** |
| **Name: Ash Tree Flowers** |

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| **200 Points** | **Where?** |
|  |  **Hedges** |
| **Danger Level** |
| **50 – smells of pigs** |
| **Fact** |
| **It makes umbrellas of flowers that can be confused with the most deadly plants in the country: hemlock, fools parsley, and water drop wort.** |
| **Name: Hogweed** |

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| **100 Points** | **Where?** |
|  |  **Hedges** |
| **Danger Level** |
|  **0** |
| **Fact** |
| **You can rub it on a sting to cure it; but it’s not as good as plantain!** |
| **Name: Dock** |

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| **350 Points if you find both** | **Where?** |
|  | **Trees** |
| **Danger Level** |
| **0 – just too soft** |
| **Fact** |
| **Willow bark is used to make aspirin (old fashioned Calpol). You can use it’s young branches to weave into wicker work baskets and chairs.** |
| **Name: Weeping Willow and Goat Willow Flowers** |