Get in the habit of **asking questions** – reading isn’t passive.

When you are out and about, even without a book, learn to ask your kids questions. It’s important to engage those growing brains!

**Study the trees.** It’s autumn, and in many places the trees are changing and putting on colorful displays.

Here are some sample questions to help build your children’s interests:

1. What colors do you see?
2. What do leaves feel like?
3. Why do some trees lose leaves and others don’t?
4. Why is a leaf important?
5. What types of trees are these?

For a great book about leaves and autumn, we recommend *Fletcher and the Falling Leaves* by Julia Rawlinson.

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