

Where is it?	What is the picture?	Interesting fact! Name on the picture (to be completed)
1 Bench	Toad	Not so common these days! answer:
2 Bench	Dragonfly	Nationally rare. answer:
3 Post	Parasitoid wasp	A new UK species of parasitoid wasp, first found at Bedgebury in 2014. answer:
4 Post	Flower	Flower endemic to the UK, found in fewer than 200 UK locations. answer:
5 Bench	Bee	Fairly scarce in Britain, still in decline. answer:
6 Bench	Tree	Critically endangered spruce. answer:
7 Gate post	Tree	Endangered in its native range, first ever germination from wild-collected seed achieved by Bedgebury. answer:
8 Bench	Tree	Critically endangered, propagated by Bedgebury from wild-collected seed. Not achieved by any other organisation in 30 years. answer:
9 Bench	Fungus	Endangered in the British Isles. answer:
10 Bench	Butterfly	A priority species for UK conservation efforts. answer:
11 Post	Flower	A beautiful and unusual wildflower. answer:
12 Bench	Bird	A bird that specialises in eating conifer seeds. answer:
13 Bench	Tree	Critically endangered conifer. Until 1994 it was thought to be extinct and was known only from its fossil records. answer:
14 Bench	Bird	A globally threatened bird. answer:
15 Bench	Insect	Nationally endangered fruit fly. answer:



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# Family nature challenge

This leaflet has been created by the Friends of Bedgebury Pinetum to share the wonders of the Pinetum and its extraordinary flora and fauna with our members and visitors to the site.

As a charity, the Friends of Bedgebury Pinetum takes your membership subscriptions, donations and gifts and makes them available to Forestry England as grants for projects and activities across the site. We support Forestry England in its management of Bedgebury as a world-class centre of conifer research, conservation and education, as a landscape of rare and endangered flora and fauna, and as a site for high quality, healthy recreation.

Please keep dogs on a lead throughout this challenge.

Please inform Visitor Services of any hazards/obstructions on this challenge. 01580 879820. We value your feedback.

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# Enjoy a map reading challenge to learn about Bedgebury's most special flora and fauna!

Whether you take a day to enjoy this children's map reading challenge or seek the answers over a few visits, you'll explore parts of the Pinetum you may never have seen before, and you'll learn a little bit about some of Bedgebury's special wildlife.

Many special, rare or endangered flora and fauna can be found at Bedgebury. Can you read the map and find pictures of some of Bedgebury's special wildlife on the **benches and posts** in the Pinetum? As you find each one, write the name you find on the picture in the correct white box in the table overleaf.

Some of the map points are harder to find than others. Be prepared to walk off the paths and into the long grass to explore some of the wilder parts of the Pinetum. You may even need to complete the challenge over two visits. However, if you have trouble finding any of the points marked, please contact the Visitor Information Office; you can check your answers there, and the team has photos of the locations if you need a little help!

