

## Autumnal flower arrangement without flowers

This arrangement can include foliage, grasses, seedpods, fruits, vegetables and berries. It cannot include flowers or bracts

Using natural [like wood, cork etc.] or warm coloured containers [like terracotta, copper or coloured] often set off the autumnal colours.

Materials should be in good condition, so do not compromise with quality to get the colour you want. Judges will mark down for marked or limp materials. Try cutting examples of materials a few days before you need them to see how they hold up in water or oasis and then cut fresh for your final piece.

Seedpods can be very effective and if they are soft, fluffy seed heads they can be sprayed with hair spray to keep them better and more robust. Many seed pods dry nicely and give good structure. You may use dried seed pods but not dried or preserved foliage.



Using autumnal leaves and fruits and vegetables provide lots of colour options, this horn of plenty is lovely but the white dried flower spray would need a foliage or veg replacement.



You can wire materials or attach them to skewers to get the height and length you require. You can make it any size you wish and add accessories as you wish to enhance your theme. Enjoy.