## Worksheet 18

# Answers to Puzzles and Quizzes

#### Worksheet 15: What's in a name?

The sickener - Russula emetica
Peppery milk cap - Lactarius piperatus

Bleeding brown mushroom - Agaricus haemorrhoidarius

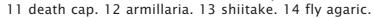
Blackening wax cap - Hygrocybe nigrescens
Amethyst deceiver - Laccaria amethystea
Weeping widow - Lacrymaria velutina

### Worksheet 16: Odd one out

The four pretenders are Golden globe, Slimy spotcap, Shaggy ear fungus and Crusty red cap.

### Worksheet 17: Fungal brainteasers

1 False (fungi are in a separate kingdom to both animals and plants). 2 False (fungi are generally more abundant in the autumn, but can be found all year round). 3 True. 4 False (many fungi form beneficial mycorrhizal relationships with trees). 5 False (only some fungi are poisonous, but it is important to know which ones!). 6 True. 7 False (although poisonous fungi are harmful to humans, they may still be playing a vital role in the forest ecosystem). 8 True. 9 True. 10 False (this is folklore belief, which fortunately is untrue).



15 = A. 16 = C. 17 = A. 18 = B. 19 = B. 20 = B and D.

