

Rough Hawkbit



Rough Hawkbit (Leontodon Hispidus) is a short grassland perennial with hairy stems that normally swell slightly at the top. These solitary flowers bloom from late May to October which are a rich golden yellow with the outer florets often a reddish colour. This wildflower can be identified from the lack of leaves along the flowering stem.

It grows best within dry grasslands and suits chalk and limestone soils, situated where there is plenty of sunlight. Rough Hawkbit is a slow growing wildflower but it has the ability to regenerate after close cutting or grazing. This wildflower can be found in hay meadows, rock ledges, quarries and road verges.

Sowing Time: Spring/Autumn

