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Seed-Growing Experiment

Just like gophers helped plants come back to Mount St. Helens after the 1980 eruption, you can help bring native plants to your neighborhood with this fun seed-growing experiment!

Materials needed:

- Seeds of any kind
- Paper towels
- Ziploc bags
- Water

What to do:

1. Get a paper towel and run it under water until it's wet but not dripping.
2. Fold the paper towel in half, then fold it in half again.
3. Place the folded paper towel in the Ziploc bag.
4. Take your seeds and place a few of them in the bag between the paper towel and the plastic.
5. Put the bag near a window. Wait a few days and enjoy watching your seeds grow into plants! Once they are big enough you can plant them in small pots.



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