

early childhood

at home *discoveries*

window seed germination



Watch as seeds germinate in a window greenhouse!

Materials:

- Seeds (flower, vegetables, etc. You can also use dried beans from your pantry)
- Sandwich bag
- Paper towel
- Water

Directions:

1. Read "The Tiny Seed" by Eric Carle (or watch reading on YouTube.)
2. Place seeds in the paper towel and fold it.



3. Seal bag, label (if each bag contains different seeds) and tape to window (inside.)



4. Check the seeds' progress each day. Once they have established root systems, transfer to your garden.



Get creative and design "houses" for the seed bags. Color construction paper and attach to bag.

Place seeds in different windows that receive varying amounts of sun. Have your children hypothesize what windows' seeds will grow faster.