

BEAN in a JAR

You'll need

Bean seed
Jar
Cotton wool or paper towel
Water



Instructions

Swirl a small amount of water around the jar.
Place either folded paper towel or some cotton wool inside the jar.
Place the bean seed in the jar resting on the cotton wool.
Sprinkle water on top of the bean seed.
Spray water on the bean every 2 days.
A seedling should start to sprout after a few days, this is called germination.

What is happening?

Germination is when a new plant grows from a seed.
Water, oxygen and warmth are all needed for germination to occur.

Extension idea

Try growing two beans, place one in a sunny spot and one in a dark cupboard.

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Adult supervision required. You are responsible for your own safety.

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