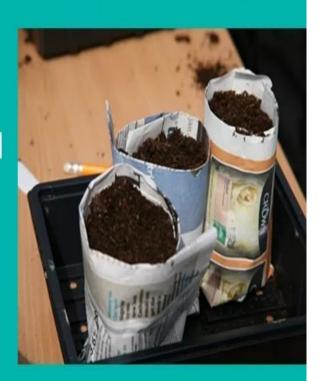
MEWSPAPER POTS-6-

No plant pots? No worries!

Fold a sheet of newspaper lengthways and roll it around an empty can or jar to get the shape and size you want.

Crumple one end to form the base.



Fill with compost and pop your seeds or seedlings in.

A much cheaper and more eco-friendly way to start your plants off!



Sand as a Bug



Clean out used plastic bottles or pots and cut to size.

Tightly roll up pieces of newspaper and stuff them inside.



Place on your balcony or in your garden and see who comes to visit.

Keep it under shelter so the paper doesn't get soggy!



Stuff Your

Stockings

Holey tights? Give them a new purpose!

Stretch one leg of your chosen stockings/tights over a pot or container.

Drop in a few spoons of grass or cress seed and then stuff with compost, soil or wood shavings.





Tie a knot in the open end, squish into shape and add facial features. Pop in a sunny place in a glass or pot.

Keep watered and watch the hair grow!



Compost Bac

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Aprons

Don't throw away empty compost bags or thick plastic bags!

Cut out an apron shape onto each side of the bag.



Decorate with paint or markers.

Fix the two sides together using string or strong tape, add some rope to the top for the neck.

Very fetching!



PANTASTIC PLASTIC CONTAINERS

Give your fruit and veg punnets or containers a second life.

Clean them up, fill with compost and pop something underneath to catch water.



Grow salad leaves or herbs inside for a windowsill kitchen garden. Or design a mini secret garden and add pebbles, twigs and figures!

Don't forget to keep it watered.



Mare a Measuring Stier

Those bits of wood lying around in the shed can finally be put to use!

Sand the wood to remove splinters or sharp bits.

Use a ruler or tape measure to mark your distances on the wood e.g. 10cm, 20cm and decorate with marker pens.



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You can now use your stick to measure the spacing or depth of seeds/plants when planting.

TIDY UP YOUR

SEEDS

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Finished your tub of lockdown biscuits already?

Cover the empty tub or tin with pictures from magazines.

Use sturdy card to make 12 divider cards to go inside and label them with the months of the year.



Sort through your seed packets and file them based on when they need sowing.



Phant of something Unexpected!

Pretty much any container can be used as a planter, as long as there are drainage holes in the base.

Why not try planting some seeds in something you don't use anymore?



It could be anything from an old welly boot to an unused sink or toilet!



Mink Bottle Watering Can

Pop some holes into the lid of a clean, empty milk bottle.

Decorate the bottle with markers or paint.

Fill the bottle with water, replace the lid and tadaaa!



The perfect little watering can for your houseplants or garden.

