

Make a Seed Bomb

Get hands on with nature and make a wildflower meadow in your garden.

You will need:

- Compost/soil
- Spoon
- Flour
- Water
- Mixing bowl
- Native British wildflower seeds

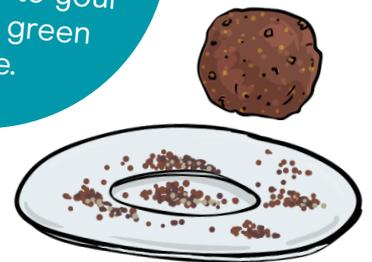


TOP TIP
Make sure you wash your hands after this activity, it gets messy!

What to do:

1. Make a mixture of 10 spoonfuls of compost/soil and 1 spoonful of flour
2. Now it's time to get messy! Add a splash of water and mix until it starts to stick together. If the mixture doesn't stick together straight away, keep adding a little bit more water until it does
3. Use your hands to roll the mixture into a ball- you can roll it into any size ball from a golf ball to a tennis ball
4. Roll your balls in wildflower seeds
5. Leave the balls to dry for up to two days and then they're ready to throw in your school/garden

Try to buy pollinator friendly seed packs to encourage local pollinators into your garden or green space.

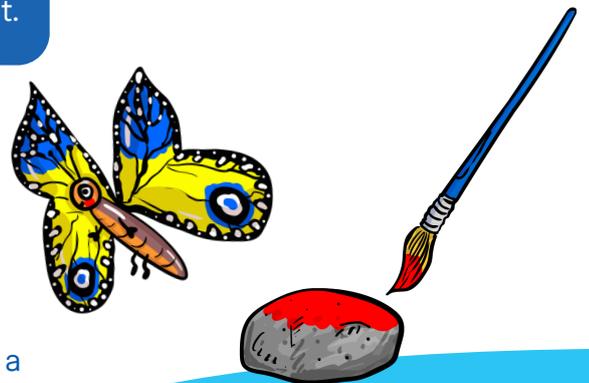


Be **safe** when throwing your seedbomb, think about how much space you have when finding a good spot to throw it.

When Spring arrives, look for **colourful flowers** emerging and see what wildlife comes to visit.

You could make a sign to identify the area that you seed bombed, to help you remember where to look in the springtime.

Look for a **large rock** or **piece of wood** that you can paint a sign onto. What will you call your wildflower garden?



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