

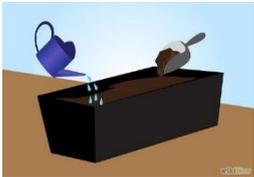
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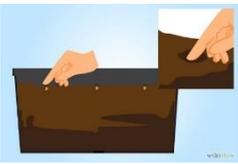
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Strawberry plants have very shallow roots, so it is easy to grow them in pots, both indoors and out. You can place your strawberry plants on a balcony or indoors in front of a sunny window. In a Home garden, strawberries can be planted any time of the year.



**Step 1:** Fill a container with any nutrient rich soil and water it thoroughly. You can also mix organic manure like vermi-compost in 50:50 ratio.

**Step 2:** Use your finger to make 1/4 inch (6 mm) depressions in the soil, spacing the holes 6 inches (152.4 mm) apart. And place 5 - 10 seeds in each hole. The seeds are small; you can use tweezers to transfer the seeds from the package to the soil.



**Step 3:** Cover the seeds. Tamp down the soil over each seed hole. You can simply press your finger over the soil. Don't push too hard because that can cause the soil to compact and the seeds will have to struggle to emerge.

**Step 4:** Use plastic wrap to cover the top of the planter. This will keep the soil moist while the seeds germinate. Now, place the planter in a sunny location. The strawberries will benefit from a warm spot with plenty of light.



**Step 5:** Water the seeds regularly. Keep the soil moist, but not soggy. Check the soil daily to make sure it doesn't dry out. Use clean and chemical free water.

**Step 6:** Remove the plastic wrap from the planter when the seeds have germinated. Once the seedlings reach the top of the plastic, they will need room to keep growing, so don't leave the plastic on.



**Step 7:** Thin the strawberry plants after the seeds have sprouted. Do this by pinching or snipping off the smallest plants. Leave about 6 inches (152.4 mm) between the remaining plants.

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