

Beanie Baby

Grow a soybean in a plastic bag

Materials:

- Jewelry size resealable bag (found in craft stores)
- Crystal Soil (order from Flinn Scientific at 800-452-1261, catalog numbers FB0381-FB0384 for various colors)
- Hole Punch
- Water
- Measuring spoons
- Soybeans
- Yarn

1. Punch a hole in the top of your bag.
2. Place a scant 1/4 teaspoon of Crystal Soil into the bag.
3. Add one tablespoon of water.
4. Gently push in two soybeans.
5. Seal your bag firmly.
6. Insert the yarn to make a necklace.
7. Wear your Beanie Baby around your neck and under your shirt to keep it in a warm, dark place.
8. Check your Beanie Baby several times a day for germination and record the growth.

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