



## How to Grow Sunflowers

Growing sunflowers is easier than you thought. Follow these simple instructions to grow gorgeous sunflowers for your garden.

### You will need:

Pots  
Multipurpose compost  
Sunflower seeds  
Watering can



### Method:

1. Fill each pot with the compost leaving a small gap at the top.
2. Insert a sunflower seed into the soil pointy edge down by giving it a gentle push.
3. Sprinkle some soil over the top carefully.
4. Give each pot a good watering using a watering can.
5. Place the pots on a warm, sunny windowsill.
6. Continue to water the plants daily.
7. Once they have started to grow and the risk of frost has passed, you can plant them outside.

Hopefully, you will now be able to enjoy your beautiful sunflowers as they brighten up your garden.

**Purpose:** To tell the reader what to do.

### Key features

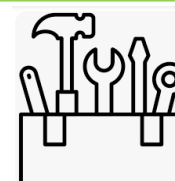


#### Structural:

- Introduction to describe what you will do
- A list of what you will need
- Numbered steps in order
- Conclusion to sum up what you've done
- A picture of the finished product

#### Language:

- Present tense: sprinkle
- Second person: you
- Imperative verbs: fill
- Adjectives: gorgeous



### Writer's toolbox

#### Adjectives:

Use adjectives to describe what the finished product will look like:

**Beautiful** sunflowers

#### Present tense:

Use simple present tense to describe when to do it:

**Sprinkle** some soil.

#### Punctuation:

Remember to use a capital letter at the beginning of a sentence and for proper nouns.

Remember to use full stops.

#### Vocabulary:

Simple	Multipurpose
Insert	Soil
Sprinkle	Risk

### Recommended reads

