DIY UPCYCLED PLANTERS AND DOMED SEEDLING TRAY

GATHER:
• 3 short paper rolls
• 2 sheets of newspaper
• Seeds of your choice
• 1 plastic quart-sized produce container
• 1 ruler
• 1 pair of scissors
• 1 pencil

1: Measure 3 inches
2: Cut
3: Tear into quarters
4: Fold into halves
5: Stuff bottoms of rolls
6: Fill with soil
7: Determine seed size
8: Poke holes into soil
9: Place seeds into holes
10: Spray with water
11: Close and label
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Materials needed:
• 3 short paper rolls (or 1 long paper roll + 1 short paper roll)
• 2 sheets of newspaper
• Seeds of your choice
• 1 plastic quart-sized produce container (cleaned & sanitized)

Tools needed:
• 1 ruler
• 1 pair of scissors
• 1 pencil

1 Measure (2 equal sections for short roll; 4 for long roll)

2: Press and cut the roll

3: Tear newspaper into quarters

4: Fold each quarter into halves or thirds

5: Stuff newspaper into paper roll, pressing to the sides and pushing down to form a bottom. Repeat steps 1-5 until you have 6 paper roll planters.

6: Fill each paper roll with pre-moistened soil that is as wet as a wrung out sponge to the top edge of paper roll and then place into the quart-sized plastic container.

7: Use the tip of a pencil to gauge the size of your seeds. Seeds should be planted at a depth equal to 2-3 times the width of the seed.

8: Use the pencil as a dibble to poke two holes in your paper roll planter. The first hole near the center of the paper roll planter and the second hole about ½ inch away from the first and at the same depth.

9: Place 1 seed in each hole, then pinch each hole closed with your fingers to cover each seed with soil. Repeat for the remaining 5 paper roll planters.

10: Water each paper roll planter with a spray bottle or watering can.

11: Close the lid and label the front of your seedling tray, including the plant variety and date seeded.