



### Easter fun – growing eggs!

Get your egg shells growing with these simple steps:

1. Crack eggs as close to the top as possible to make the biggest planter.
2. Poke holes in the shell with a pin being careful not to crush the shell. Poking from the inside is easier than from the outside.
3. Decorate with non-toxic markers, if desired, or decorate the egg carton you place the egg shell planters into.
4. Fill the egg shell with lightly moistened soil. Use a water-filled spray bottle to add a bit more moisture.
5. If planting seeds with children, choose a quick growing plant such as micro-greens. Herbs are another option.
6. Write what you planted on the lid of the egg carton.
7. Check egg shell planters daily and water with a spray bottle as necessary.
8. Enjoy the growth!
9. If you want to transplant your planted egg shells, squeeze or tap the shell to make cracks. Plant the shell into a larger pot or in the ground once the soil warms up. As the plant roots grow, they will break through the cracked shell.

