

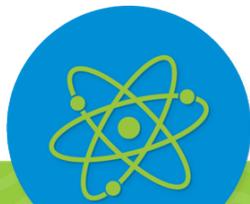
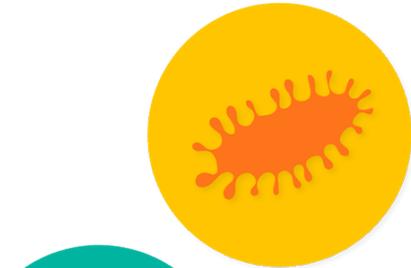


# STEAM Experiments

## Try This At Home



### START SEEDS IN EGGSHELLS



You will need:

- eggshells
  - a spoonful soil per eggshell
  - an egg carton
  - seeds
  - water
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- Crack the eggs a bit more carefully than usually, trying to leave the lower two-thirds of the eggshell to one half intact. Wash them gently but thoroughly.
  - Make a tiny drainage hole at the bottom using a pin and place the eggshell into egg carton.
  - Fill  $\frac{3}{4}$  full damp soil.
  - Plant your seeds.
  - Place them somewhere else with lots of daylight.
  - Spray with water every now and then to prevent drying out. Try not to over water.
  - Eggshells provide the seeds with a safe home to sprout in and not only are the eggshells biodegradable – they will provide nutrients to your plants, too.

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