Greenhouse for kids

You will need:

- card stock (printed with lines)
- 1 Sandwich bag
- 1 Coffee filter or napkin
- 2 seeds (pumpkin or bean seeds work well)

Before you start:

- Put 1 of your seeds in a small cup of water to soak for 3-4 hours
- Keep one seed dry (which one will grow faster?)

Make your greenhouse:

- Cut along the lines for the roof
- Cut out a rectangle in the middle of your house
- Write your name on your greenhouse and decorate the front

Prepare your seeds:

- Fold a coffee filter to fit in the bottom of the sandwich bag
- Place both of your seeds inside the bag
- Drip water onto the coffee filter until it is slightly wet

Display your greenhouse:

- Tape the sandwich bag to the back of the greenhouse so that you can see the seeds through the open rectangle
- Hang your greenhouse in the window and check it every day to see how it grows
- Write your observations on the back of this page.

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- Instruction page and growth chart
- Scissors
- Water
- Pencil or crayons



What do see? Is it wet? Is it dry? Is the seed cracked? What colors do you see? Is there a sprout or a root coming out of the seed? Which seed sprouted faster, the dry seed or the seed you soaked?

Day 1:	 	
Day 3:	 	
Day 6:	 	
Day 9:		
Day 12:		
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Day 15:		
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Which seed sprouted faster, the dry seed or the seed you soaked?

