



## Making a water-cycling Terrarium



### What you need:

- Large transparent jar with lid
- A bit of soil
- A few seeds or small plants
- Water

#### STEP 1

Put some soil and seeds at the bottom. Water lightly.

#### STEP 2

Close the lid tightly. Place the jar near a window (not in direct sunlight at first).

### The Cycle in the Jar

- The sun heats the water and the soil (**evaporation**).
- Plants release water vapor (**transpiration**).
- Water vapor rises and cools upon contact with the cold lid (**condensation**).
- Droplets get bigger and fall back to the ground (**precipitation**).