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Gardening Hints and Tips

Instructions for growing plant cuttings:

1. Make sure your plant cuttings are at least 10cm long. Rosemary and lavender work really well.



2. Trim off the bottom leaves to reveal the stem.
3. Fill a vase with water. Your plant needs water to grow!
4. Place your cuttings in the water. Change the water each day.



Instructions for growing plants from seeds:

1. Collect seeds from fruit. Capsicum, tomato, and chilli seeds are all easy to collect.



2. Dry your seeds on a paper towel.
3. Store your seeds in an airtight container until they're ready to plant.
4. Capsicum, tomato, and chilli seeds are all good to plant to August!

Instructions for growing carrots from carrot tops:

1. Let your carrot tops dry for a day.
2. Place in a shallow bowl of water, and leave uncovered. Change the water each day.



3. Once your tops start to grow roots, they are ready to plant in the garden.
4. Cover it with soil, and water it daily.
5. This will work with other vegetables that grow under the ground, like onions or potatoes.

