

# How to make a mini nature reserve

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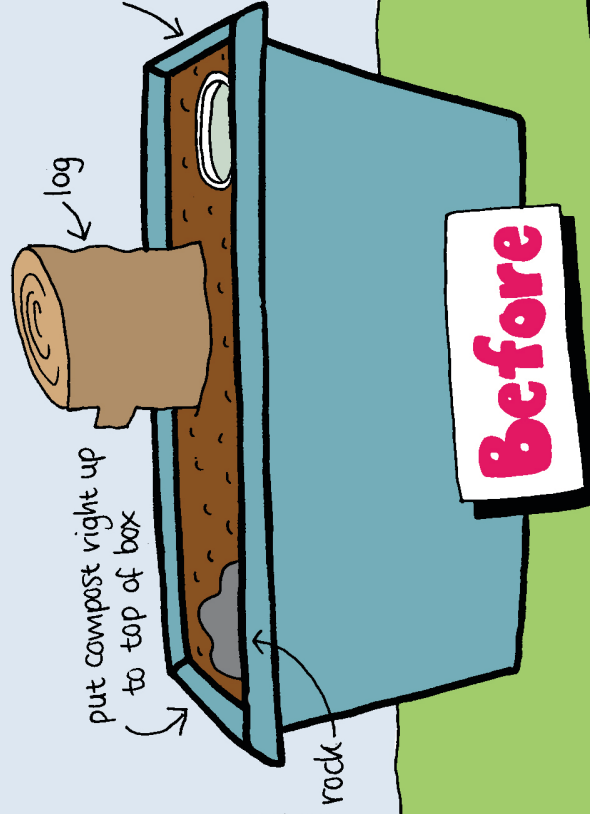


## 1 Choose your site

Choose a safe place to put your window box – somewhere like an old bench or wall at an easy height for inspection.

## 2 Gather your materials

- window box
- a small log
- yoghurt pot
- some compost
- a rock



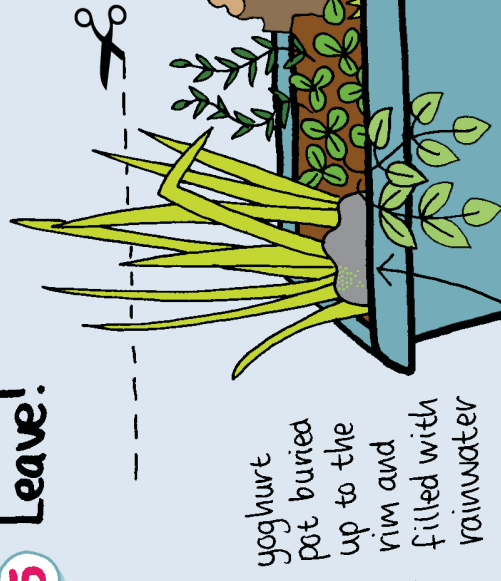
## 3 Fill the box with compost

Always use peat-free compost and save our precious peat bags.

## 4 Add a few features

Dig in the yoghurt pot and add the small log and rock.

## 5 Leave!



look under rock for small creatures

## 6 Keep a diary

Record the changes you see. Make notes using guidebooks and take a photo every week.

## 7 Management

Remove out of control plants or cut them back with scissors.



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