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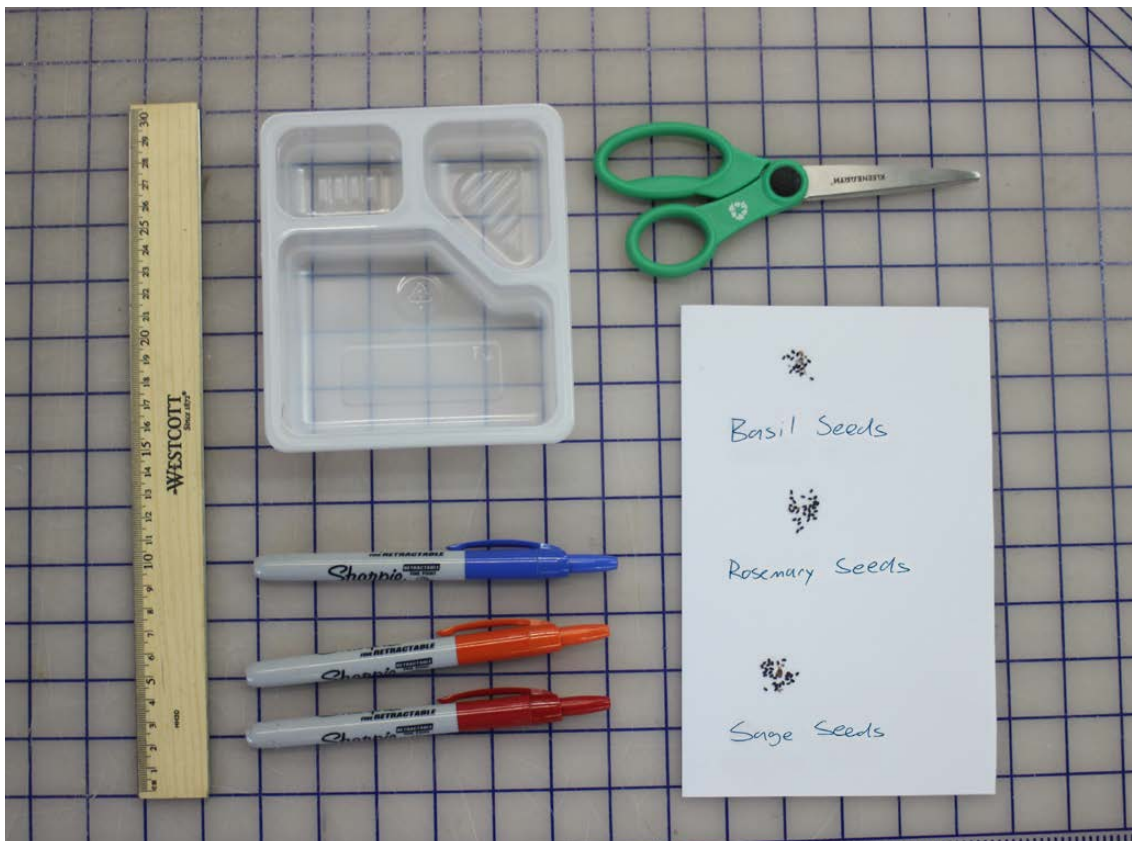
Plant the upcycling seed and reuse your plastic containers!

## MATERIALS

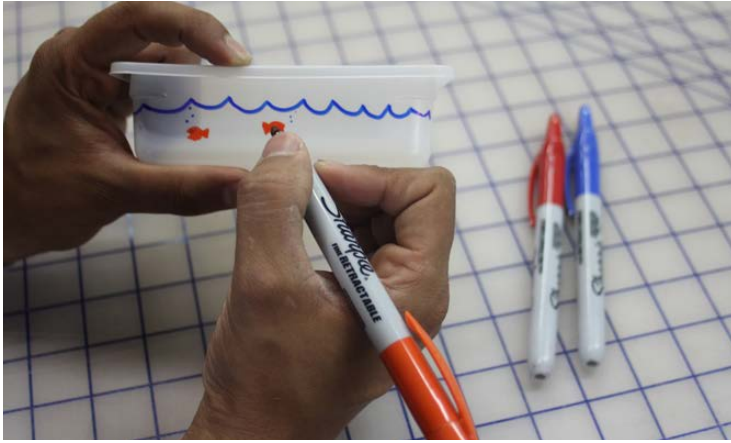
- 1 clean, empty plastic lunch kit
- soil
- seeds

## TOOLS

- permanent markers
- scissors
- ruler







## START!

**STEP 1** Decorate your empty plastic lunch kit with markers or stickers.

## STEP 2

Carefully cut away the sides of the lunch kit. You will use them to make the name sticks for your plants.



## STEP 3

Cut the side pieces into roughly 2-3" long strips, and angle the bottom into a pointed V-shape.



## STEP 4

Use a marker to write which plants you plan to grow.



## STEP 5

Fill the lunch kit with soil. Leave about a  $\frac{3}{4}$ " clearance from the top of the lunch kit.



## STEP 6

Plant the seeds or plants, water them, and put them in a sunny spot!



## DESIGN TIP:

If you want to give your planter a drainage hole, you can use a craft knife to cut a small hole in the bottom. Then, place a few small rocks in the bottom before adding soil. Place an extra plastic lid under the lunch kit to catch any water overflow.

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