Stage 6 - Personal Development, Health and Physical Education Life Skills

Outdoor Education - Can you plant a seed?

Syllabus outcome:	LS 6.4 Demonstrates knowledge about, and skills in, gardening
Resources:	internet connection
	for worksheet: scissors, glue, a piece of plain paper
	for planting option: outdoor area, seeds, pot/s, gloves, water,
	watering can, sunlight
Duration:	30 mins
Activity:	Can you plant a seed?
	(Including an option to complete an additional 30 min session for
	Activity 2)

Introduction: *Dirtgirlworld* is a series on abc.net.au/abc4kids about gardening. Use the internet to watch and/or listen to the video: *Planting Song* https://www.abc.net.au/abckids/shows/dirtgirlworld/video/planting-song/11257094

Notice the way the girl uses the pots and tools to enjoy and play musical percussion. You may like to try this later with someone's help if you are planting outdoors.

Activity 1: Can you plant a seed? (worksheet)

The video will give you information to help you complete a cut and paste task.

- 1. Look at the worksheet supplied which is about planting.
- 2. Cut out the eight pictures and place them in the correct order needed to plant a seed.
- 3. Paste the pictures on a piece of paper in the correct planting order.
- 4. Number each of the pictures to create an eight-step sequence.

Activity 2: Can you plant a seed? (materials/outdoors) OPTIONAL

- 1. Choose another person/s to plant with you.
- 2. Collect and use real materials (gloves, seeds, soil, pot/s, water, watering can).
- 3. Follow the planting order to try planting your own seeds at home in pots.
- 4. When finished place the pot/s in sunlight. Water regularly. Watch for change and growth.

Comment: Provide one or more examples of what the student experienced and/or completed. Did the student engage with the video, the worksheet option, and/or the authentic planting option? Which was preferable and why?



Can you plant a seed? Cut out the pictures and place them in the right order 1 --ı

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