



**Here are the instructions on how to grow a carrot top at home.**

## **You will need**

- Carrot top (2-3 cm from stem with some root growth remaining on top)
- Shallow dish - a plate will work
- Cotton wool
- Water
- Sunny and protected spot



## **How to grow a carrot top**

Simply add a layer of cotton wool to your small dish. Add a light dribble of water over the cotton balls so they are wet but not completely flooded with water. Press your carrot top into the wet cotton balls and place the dish in a sunny location. Be sure to check that the cotton balls remain wet throughout the growing period. You do not want to dry them out.

It will take a few days for children to see the carrot top begin to grow, however, once it starts it will grow quite quickly when in the right conditions. You may even like to measure the stem every few days.

