

MY WORM HOUSE



GET
ADVENTUROUS



45 MINUTES



PREPARATION
NEEDED



GETTING INTO THE ACTIVITY

Make a worm house so you can watch as the worms move around and dig through the soil.

- 1) Use an empty glass jar or ask a grown-up to cut the top off a drinks bottle and remove the label. Fill the jar/bottle with soil. If you are able to have different layers of soil, compost and sand, this would be ideal but not essential. Place some leaves on top of the soil and water it until the soil is damp.
- 2) Hunt down 3 or 4 worms and carefully place them into your worm house.
- 3) You will need a lid, you could put some holes in the lid of the jar and put this back on or place cling film over the top of the bottle and secure with an elastic band. Make sure there are some holes in the top to let air in.
- 4) Keep in a cool place and top up with water when needed. Keep an eye on how often you spot the worms and what changes have happened to the soil inside.

Ask a grown-up to take a photo or video and share it with your BB group or post on social media using #BBatHOME.



WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Drinks Bottle / Jar
- Soil
- Scissors
- Cling Film
- Elastic Band
- Leaves
- Paper / Card
- Tape



NOTES FOR PARENTS & CARERS

All activity should be supervised by an adult. Please wash your hands after touching soil and worms. An adult should initiate any contact with the BB group and/or share on social media.