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A GROWING MYSTERY!

science journal



INTRODUCTION

We found some seeds under a tree.
We kept some to grow.
We kept notes about them in a journal.



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WE NEED!

Things we might need for the project:

- paper towel
- water spray
- magnifying glass
- soil and pots/jars
- ruler, paper and pencils
- camera and computer



DAY 1 SEEDS

We put the seeds on damp paper towel.
We kept them moist with a water spray.
Seeds need moisture to germinate.



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DAY 7 HATCHING

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The seeds did not grow. Something hatched from one! The 'seeds' are really eggs.

Hatchling



Eggs and a hatchling from one egg

unhatched egg with knob on top



Hatched egg - empty cup with no knob

DAY 10 MYSTERY

More hatchlings have come out of the eggs.
They climb and hang.

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What are they?

MYSTERY CHART

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Facts	Questions	Yes/No	Reasons
They have curled tails.	Are they scorpions?	No	No claws No sting
They run like spiders.	Are they spiders?	No	Don't have 8 legs
They look like ants.	Are they ants?	Maybe	Have 6 legs

Conclusion: they are insects, perhaps some kind of ant.



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