



NOX AND ROBIN'S

SEED

STARTING

GUIDE



FOR WARM SEASON
CROPS
LIKE TOMATOES + PEPPERS



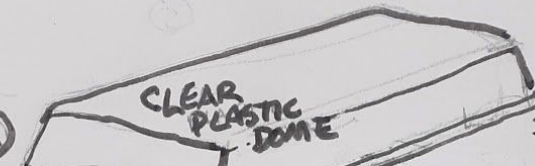
GET YOUR SUPPLIES READY...



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OR SEED-STARTING MIX

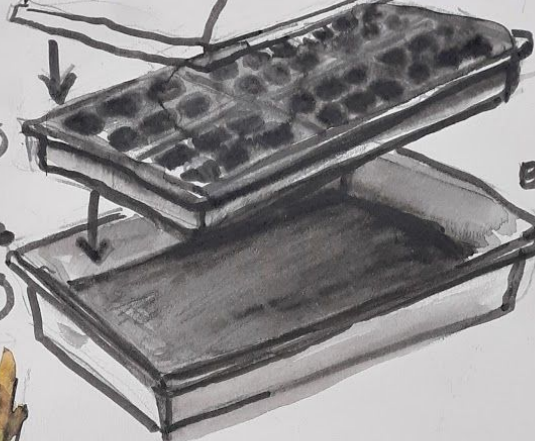
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CLEAR PLASTIC DOME

PLASTIC INSERT WITH CELLS THAT DRAIN AT BOTTOM

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BOTTOM TRAY

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YOU CAN SET UP YOUR SEEDS IN A WARM, SUNNY LOCATION BUT YOUR SEEDLINGS

WILL BENEFIT MORE FROM THE EXTRA LIGHT (14-16 HRS. PER DAY) AND HEAT OF A SHOP LIGHT AND HEATING MAT

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AN ELECTRONIC THERMOMETER IS WELL-WORTH THE EXTRA INVESTMENT

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AS YOU CAN SET AND REGULATE

EXACT TEMPS FOR GERMINATION WHICH ARE A LITTLE HIGHER THAN THOSE FOR GROWTH



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STIR WATER INTO SEED STARTING MIX

THEN FILL SEED TRAYS
Plant 2 seeds per cell



and thin out the one that germinates last or has less vigor

MAKE SURE TO GIVE SEEDLINGS ENOUGH WATER. THEY WILT QUICKLY IF THEIR ROOTS DESSICATE, BUT DON'T OVER DO IT. LET THE SOIL DRY OUT SOME BETWEEN WATERINGS.

WATER GENTLY!
try to wet the soil not the leaves



A MISTER/SPRAYER WORKS WELL...



... OR A SMALL WATERING CAN WITH A LONG SLENDER SPOUT

AFTER THE SEEDLINGS GET THEIR FIRST TRUE LEAVES, TRANSPLANT THEM INTO LARGER CELLS



TRANSPLANT WHEN THE ROOTS ARE JUST STARTING TO GROW BEYOND THE PLUG OF SOIL

DONT WAIT UNTIL ROOTS START CIRCLING AROUND THE PLUG



IF THEY DO GET ROOT BOUND, PULL THE ROOTS VERY GENTLY AWAY FROM EACH OTHER BEFORE TRANSPLANTING

