

Ann's Creative Corner

Project #414: Planting!

(by South Vancouver Family Place)

- Take a clipping from a plant such as shown below. Others that may grow roots are an ivy plant for example.
- Place the bottom of the plant into a small container with water to cover the clipped end of the plant.
- Wait a few days or a week depending on the clipping.
- You should see some roots start to appear!
- Place this rooted part of the plant carefully into a small pot of soil.
- Watch it grow!
- Another idea is to buy a group of plants for bedding.
- Pull the plants apart carefully and you will see the roots which may have soil on them already.
- Plant in small pots and water this. Watch it grow!
- Some plants will take longer or shorter.
- Keep them moist and in a sunny warm spot such as on your windowsill.
- When they are larger, you may want to plant them in a larger pot or outdoors if they are the outdoor type.

Activity:

Go to a garden shop to purchase the bedding plants. Or buy a plant at a Garden Center that can be clipped to grow your own roots!

