

YOUR OWN WORMERY

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Did you know that within every square yard (3'x3') of your yard there is at least 15 worms!

Why? They work to create healthy soil by increasing the amount of air and water. Also as they eat they leave behind castings that create healthy nutrients to enrich our soil.

They are a wonderful help to our yards and gardens.



Assembly:

1. Place gravel in the bottom of the jar.
2. Alternate with layers of dirt and sand (about 1")
3. Final layer of dirt 2-3"
4. Drizzle water all over top layer.
5. Add Worms!!! Only 2 or 3.
6. Finish by gently placing leaves, grass, flowers and or fruit rind on top.
7. Don't forget!!! Place a lid with air holes.

Materials:

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| Worms | Mason Jar |
| Gravel | Dirt or Soil :-) |
| Sand | 1 TBS of Water |
| Leaves | Grass Clippings |
| Flower petals | |
| Fruit peelings such as apple & or orange | |

Worms like cool (40degrees) and dark places!

Possibly your basement or in a cabinet.



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