

Materials:

- Straw Bale
- Soil
- Seeds or Bulbs
- Water
- Nutrient Suppliments



Sources:

<https://preparednessmama.com/how-to-condition-straw-bales/>



Straw Bale Gardening: A How To Guide



Advantages:

Straw bale gardening is a more eco-friendly form of gardening. The straw bale base acts as a natural container that makes a healthier growing environment for plants than those of plastic containers.

Instructions:

Preconditioning

Days 1-3 water the bales, making sure to keep them wet

Days 4-10 begin to give the bales liquid fertilizer

Days 11-13 stop feeding the liquid fertilizer, but keep them damp

Day 14 If the inside of the bale is slightly above air temp, they're ready to go!

Planting

Transplanting

Create hole large enough for the plant

(With care) remove the plant from

Tips & Tricks



List of plants good for straw bale gardening:

- Tomatoes
- Basil
- Garlic
- Kale
- Strawberries
- Eggplant
- Peppers
- Lettuce
- Cilantro
- Parsley