
Regrow vegetables from scrap

Fill in the blanks

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1. When ___ u ___ e ___ ends you can still ___ r ___ w food.
Many ___ e ___ l ___ s can easily be ___ e ___ o ___ indoors.
2. Common regrown vegetables are ___ e ___ n onions, ___ e ___ r ___ and greens like ___ o ___ y.
3. Each ___ i ___ you need ___ m ___ green onion, ___ t from the top, but ___ a ___ e the ___ o ___ s.
4. The celery ___ i ___ take about a ___ e ___ to ___ r ___ leaves. You can ___ t the ___ e a ___ and the celery ___ a ___ s.

Finish the sentences

Fill in the blanks to finish the sentences with words in the box.

buy	put	change	cut
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1. _____ some green onions with roots.
2. _____ off the green tops of the onions.
3. _____ the roots in a glass or jar of water.
4. _____ off the top of celery.
5. _____ the roots on your windowsill.
6. _____ the water every few days.
7. _____ the bowl in a sunny place.

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What happened first? 

Number the events in the story from 1 to 5. The first one is done for you.

_____	a. Cut off the green tops of the onions.
_____	b. Put the roots on your windowsill.
_____ 1	c. Buy some green onions with roots.
_____	d. Change the water every few days.
_____	e. Put the roots in a glass or jar of water.

How about you? 

Do you have any plants in your house? What kind are they and where are they? If you don't have any plants, would you like to grow any? Why or why not?

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Answers

Fill in the blanks

1. When **summer** ends you can still **grow** food. Many **vegetables** can easily be **regrown** indoors.
2. Common regrown vegetables are **green** onions, **celery** and greens like **bok choy**.
3. Each **time** you need **some** green onion, **cut** from the top, but **leave** the **roots**.
4. The celery **will** take about a **week** to **grow** leaves. You can **eat** the **leaves** and the celery **stalks**.

Finish the sentences

1. Buy some green onions with roots.
2. Cut off the green tops of the onions.
3. Put the roots in a glass or jar of water.
4. Cut off the top of celery.
5. Put the roots on your windowsill.
6. Change the water every few days.
7. Put the bowl in a sunny place.

What happened first?

1. c 2. a 3. e 4. b 5. d