



# Freya's Magical Cottage

My Fairy Garden™ Leaflet

*Create your own  
magical fairy garden  
playset!*







# About My Fairy Garden™

Did you know that fairies are everywhere? They are! Not everyone can see them, but for those of us who can, they're a magical sight! Fairies love nature, so you'll usually find them near flowers, trees and toadstools, or among other wild and beautiful plants. You can invite fairies into your home by creating magical gardens...it's true! They will quickly become your friends when you give them a lovely home and help them care for it!



This set includes everything you'll need to make a special garden Magical Cottage for the fairy Freya! Freya is the "mother" among her fairy friends. She loves hosting get-togethers and having friends visit. She makes sure her home is welcoming both inside and out, and takes care to always have treats on-hand for her guests...her specialty is berry muffins! If ever a fairy is having a sad day, they always go to Freya for a hug!

Once you build Freya's Magical Cottage and start growing your garden, you can make it even more enchanting by adding your own flowers and decorations!





**Contents:** 2-Piece Flowerpot, Tray, Toadstool, 2 Tiki Torches, Umbrella Table, 2 Chairs, Seed Packet, Soil, Watering Can (4 oz.), 4 Gardening Tools, Freya the Fairy, Fairy Stand, Flying Cord, Hazel the Chipmunk

## *Growing Your Fairy Garden*

- Place the compressed soil in a bowl with three cups of water and allow it to soften. The discs will absorb the water and expand...it's fun to watch them grow!



- Set the bottom part of the flowerpot on the base, and place the top section on top of that.
- Put the toadstool in the top section.





## *Growing Your Fairy Garden* (continued)

- Once the soil is damp (after about a half hour), break it up with your gardening rake. Then, scoop soil into the planting areas on the flowerpot.
- Once the soil is in place, fluff it up with your garden rake and make sure there are no dry areas.
- Evenly scatter seeds on all of the soil areas. Sprinkle them evenly about 1/8" to 1/4" apart. Using your gardening tools, gently press the seeds into the soil.

**TIP:** Planting seeds too close together will cause them to crowd each other out.

- Evenly sprinkle two ounces of water (about half of your watering can) onto your seeds.





## *Caring for Your Fairy Garden*

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- Check the water level daily to make sure the soil and plants do not dry out. Soil should always be damp (not hard or dry), but be careful not to overwater!
- To water your garden, you can pour water into the toadstool and watch it trickle down, and into the lip of the roof so it trickles down to the base! Make sure all of the soil gets water.

**TIP:** For quicker germination, a plastic bag can be placed over the entire set to hold moisture in.

**TIP:** If you overwater, ask an adult to gently tip it and pour water out, or soak it up with a paper towel.





## *Caring for Your Fairy Garden* (continued)

- Put your fairy garden near a window that gets western or southern sun, and rotate your garden daily.

**TIP:** Place your fairy garden on a sturdy surface so it won't fall or get knocked over!

- Depending on the temperature and location, the seeds will take about three to seven days to start growing. First you will see sprouts come up through the soil, and then you will start seeing some leaves and color. After six to 10 weeks, you will see some flowers! Note: Plants and growth will vary.



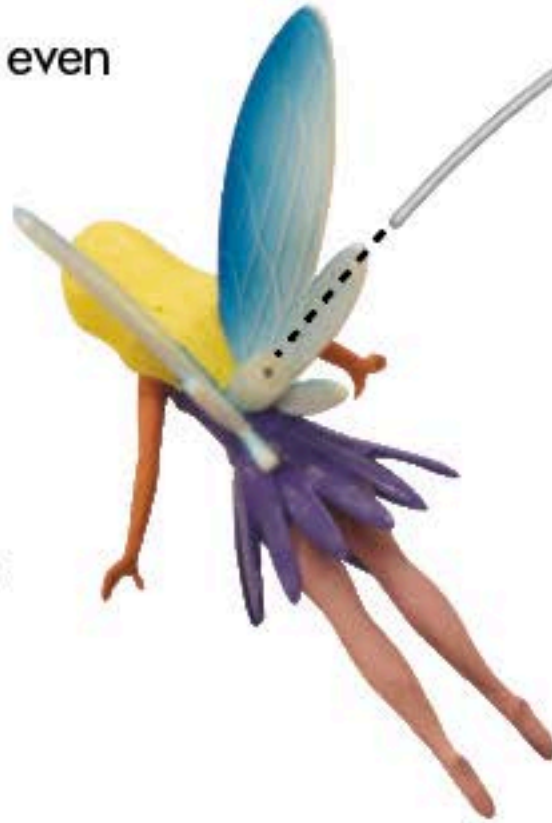
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## *Make it Your Own*

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- Add any decorations or accessories you want! Fairies like rocks, pebbles, flowers, twigs, shells, etc. You can even arrange the furniture inside of the flowerpot!
- Want to add some other flowers or plants? You can do that, too! We've given you enough to get started, but go ahead and make it special!
- Look for My Fairy Garden™ accessory sets to help spruce up your gardens!



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## *Play*

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- As your garden grows, you get to have fun playing with Freya and Hazel! Set them in the garden, or inside the flower pot! Use the stand to help Freya stay on her own, or attach the magical flying cord to Freya's back and to the top section of the flowerpot and make her look like she's flying!





We wanted to make sure you had a variety of fast-growing greens and leafy plants, with some pretty color, and also some flowers that will appear later!

- Organic Forget-Me-Not Indigo Blue (*Myosotis alpestris*)
- Organic Dinosaur Kale Lacinato (*Brassica napus*)
- Organic Garnet Red Amaranthus (*Amaranthus tricolor*)
- Organic Arugula (*Eruca sativa*)
- Organic Chicory (*Cichorium intybus*)
- Organic Endive/Escarole (*Cichorium endivia*)
- Organic Salad Bowl Greens (*Lactuca sativa*)
- Organic Black Seeded Simpson (*Lactuca sativa*)
- Organic Buttercrunch (*Lactuca sativa*)
- Organic Red Giant Mustard (*Brassica juncea*)
- Organic Dill (*Anethum graveolens*)
- Organic Slow Bolt Cilantro (*Coriandrum sativum*)

**Warning:** Water may leak from playset. Do not play or set on a surface that could be damaged by water.

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You can collect other fairies,  
friends and accessories for  
even bigger fun!

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