

# Youth Planting Project

## Growing Green Onions will be fast and easy

1) You can regrow green onions directly in a glass of water.



2) Simply purchase green onions, cut off the root end to approximately 3-inches-long and submerge in a glass of water.



3) Cover the white parts with water leaving the green part uncovered.



4) The green onions should start growing within a few days and within a week or two you will have entirely new water grown green onions.

## Growing Celery will take a little longer



Celery with Peanut Butter or Cheese on it will taste better when you grow it yourself & is a fun way to improve your gardening skills.

1) Cut the root end off, submerge root end in water leaving greens above water.



- 2) Spray with water a couple times a week and replace the water every few days.
- 3) Leaves will start to spout in a week.
- 4) Plant the cutting with only the leaves above the soil and harvest when fully grown in about 5 months.



## **Growing a Pineapple will take a lot longer.**

Pineapple plants are grown in Hawaii so they will not grow outside in the winter. Grow indoors like a house plant.

- 1) Slice off the green leafy top and remove all fruit carefully from the bottom layers until you see the root buds.



- 2) Place in water for 2 weeks to form roots.
- 3) Plant in a pot with potting soil.
- 4) The plant will take 2 to 3 years to grow a Pineapple.



I hope you have fun with your planting projects. Remember the 2021 Pierce County Fair website next Spring and we would like to see you enter a growing project of your choice. See you next year.