

Nature's Noticeboard!

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When you next take a walk by the seaside, check to see if the ringbuoy is in place. If not, report it missing on www.ringbuoys.ie

If you have a digital camera, try some time delay photography. Each day, for one month, take a picture of a budding tree or daffodil to see how it changes over time.

Start a small vegetable garden in a large flower tub. Grow a herb, spring onions, lettuce and tiny tomatoes.

Become a spring detective and try to find some of the following: a budding tree; a daffodil; a caterpillar and frog spawn. You can add other spring events to your list and begin your search.

Watch a seed grow!
Soak a large dried pea or bean overnight. Line a glass jar with paper towels and place the seed between the paper and glass. Put a little water in the jar, place in a sunny spot and watch the seed grow.

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