

Parent Guide: Agriculture / Crops

Dissect A Bean, Vegetable Collage Banners, Craziest Crops Show

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Dissect A Bean (source: lifelonglearners.com)

A simple, and relatively clean dissection experiment!

Supplies Needed:

- large beans (pinto beans work well)
- plastic knife or butter knife
- magnifying glass
- small bowl

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Vegetable Collage Banners

A colorful activity to artfully mimic the vegetables you see on a farm, in your garden, in a grocery store, or on your plates!

Supplies Needed:

- colored construction paper
- colored tissue paper
- colored items from around the house (old magazines, buttons, craft supplies)
- glue
- scissors
- printable supplement from our website
- string or twine
- clothes pins

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The Craziest Crops Puppet Show

Use the crops you created for the banner above to create a puppet show! Be sure to add Kazoo and Gus (the Nebraska Farm Bureau bovine) to the mix. You can find them in printable form on our website. Imagine the craziest crop characters you can dream up! Give each character a silly name, create stories around how they each came to be, how they met on Kazoo's farm, and where they're going next! Will they become your favorite dish, or sneak away to somewhere new?