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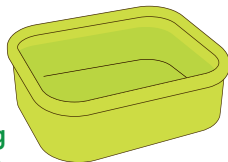
Follow these simple steps to create a mini frog pond.

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## You will need:

A shovel  
A large container  
Old bricks or bits of wood  
Some small pond plants

- 1 Choose your container. This could be a washing up bowl, bucket or even an old sink. Keep in mind that this is something which will have to be strong enough to withstand bad weather.



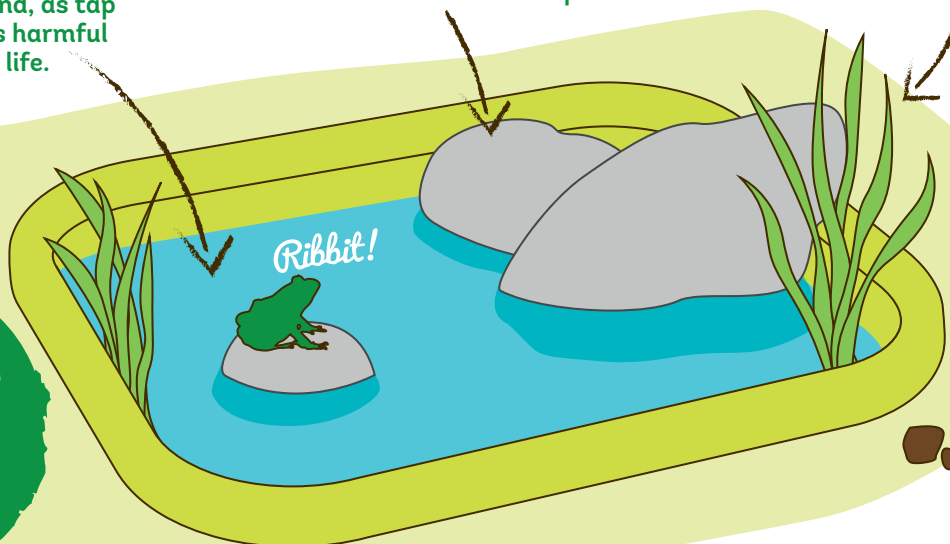
- 2 Dig a hole and sink your container into the ground.



- 3 Use rainwater to fill your pond, as tap water is harmful to pond life.

- 4 Make sure that wildlife can get in and out – use bricks or wood to create stepping stones in and out of the pond.

- 5 Add some finishing touches to your pond by adding some pond plants – you can find these in most garden centres.



Some ponds may not get froggy visitors, but birds may stop by for a drink or a bath. You might get mammals too, and all sorts of minibeasts!

If you're going to make a frog pond then make sure you have a grown-up on hand to help out.

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