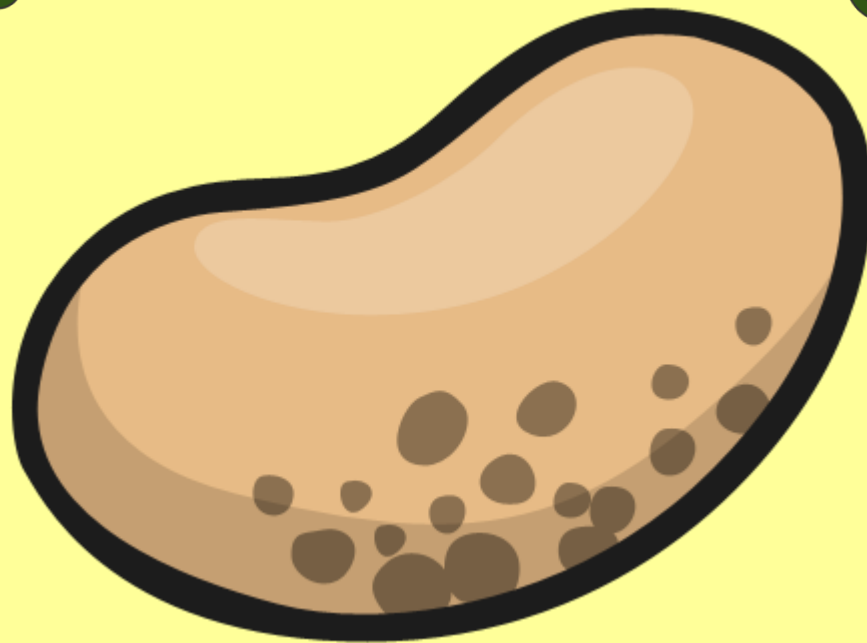


Bean Plant Life Cycle



The planted bean seed germinates and a shoot emerges. This will usually begin after 2-3 days.



The bean seed will start to take root and a stem will appear. The bean uses the food in the seed to grow taller.



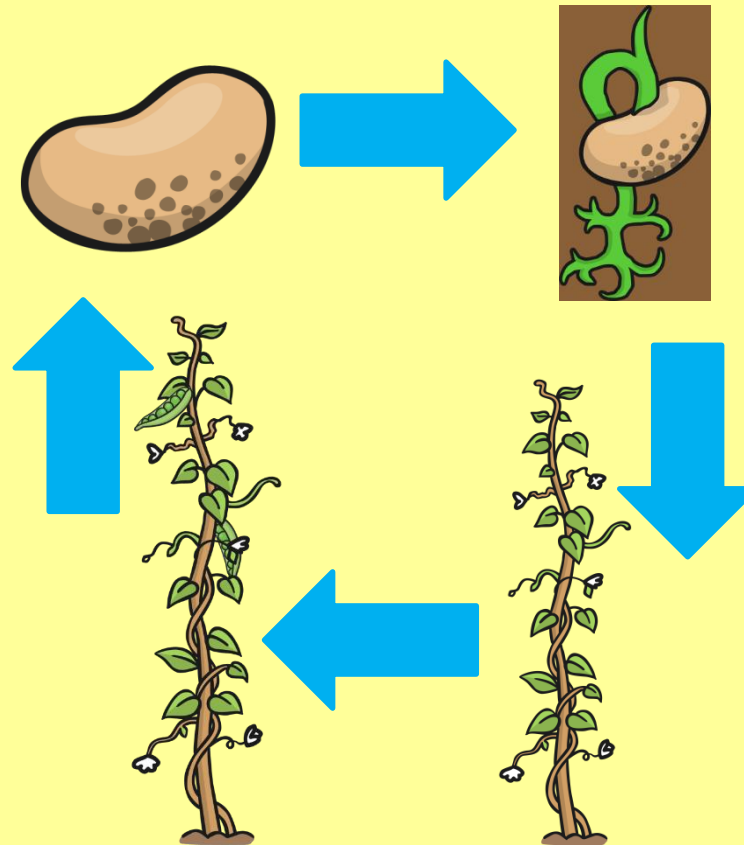
The bean plant will then flower and wait to be pollinated.






After pollination, the ovary of the plant will gradually form in to a pod of beans, which is what we pick and eat!



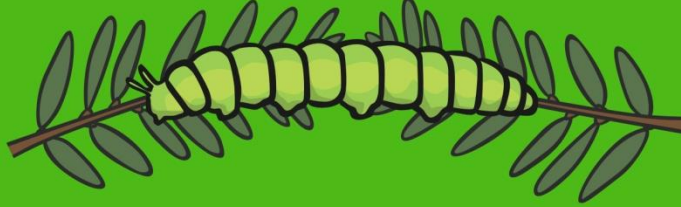
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Some interesting facts

-  The world's largest bean pods can grow up to 5 feet long.
-  Beans are the only farmed plant that are good for the soil as its roots add Nitrogen to it.
-  A bean is a Pulse, which is part of the Leguminosae family. It also includes peas and lentils.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/z3wsbk7>



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