Make a water tray that fills itself

You will need

- Plant pot saucer
- Large cylindrical yogurt pot
- Scissors/hole punch

Just like us, birds need a drink. Here's a clever way to give birds water – and your tray will keep topping itself up!

Cut a hole in the pot about 4mm in diameter 1 cm from the rim.

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Fill the pot with water, then put the plant pot saucer on top.



Now carefully turn them upside down, keeping them together. Water will flow from the yogurt pot into the saucer up to the level of the hole. As birds drink from the tray, water from inside the pot will keep topping up the tray.



Stay safe

Avoid birds spreading disease to each other (and you) by washing the tray regularly. Ask an adult to do it outside wearing gloves and using dilute bleach. They should wash their hands straightaway afterwards.

