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SEED SAVING

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Discussion Question

HOW DO YOU HARVEST SEEDS FROM A CARROT?















Fruits

WHEN HARVESTING FRUITS, YOU CAN SAVE SEEDS FROM WITHIN THE FRUITS THEMSELVES.

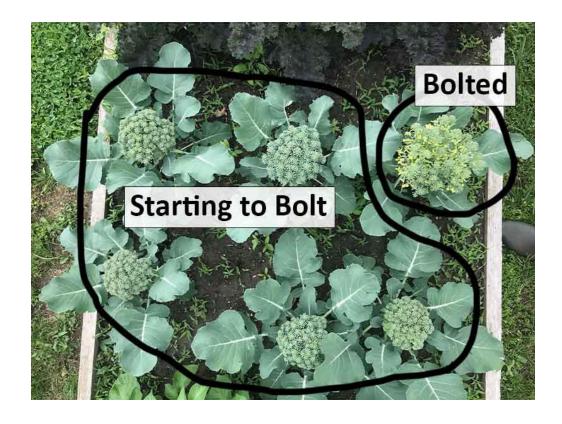






Lettuce Seeds





Brassicas Seeds







Broccoli Seeds



Radish Seeds







Spinach Seeds





Coriander Seeds





Dill Seeds







Beans Seeds







Pea Seeds





Sunflower Seeds



Onion Seeds





Garlic Seeds







Basil Seeds

Things to Consider

- Save seeds according to what plant traits you want to promote in future years (best tasting, resistant to drought, resistant to blight, biggest fruit, etc.
- Prevent annual weeds go to seed
- Don't put seeding plants in your compost
- Store seeds in a dry, dark, cool environment (0 10 degrees Celsius)
- Make sure the seeds are completely dry (humidity can cause them to mold)
- Test the germination rate of your seeds (samples of 10)
- Write down the name of the variety of plant you have and where you got the seeds from

Questions?

Thank you. Have a great week.