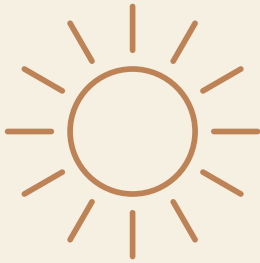


# Succulent Care Cheat Sheet



- Use a Small Watering Can with Small Spout
- Never use a spray bottle and avoid watering directly on the flower/leaves.
  - Colder Months: Once per month
  - Warmer Months: Once per week
- When in doubt, don't water. It is better to underwater than overwater.



- Provide 6 hours of direct sunlight per day
- Rotate sides to allow for evenly distributed sunlight.
- Succulents are from drier and hotter climates, so make sure to bring them in or cover them up before a freeze if they are located outside.
- Also avoid leaving outside during rainy conditions.



- Pots with holes or gravel at the bottom. (terracotta are most ideal)
- Use soils made for cactus or succulents
  - Miracle Gro Succulent Potting Soil
  - Mix with Miracle Gro Perlite (Aeration mix)
  - Only need to change when repotting (1-2 Years)
- With great care, your succulents will grow and need to repot. (relocate to a larger pot)



# Station

#1



# Station

#2



# Station

#3



# Station

#4



# Choose your type of cup

Keep in mind that your  
cup determines the  
type of succulent and  
whether you use gravel  
or moss!



**Select only  
2  
animals from  
this table.**



**Select only**

**1**

**Large Garden**

**Piece**





**Select only**

**2**

**tiny animals**

**from this table.**



**Select only**

**1**

**Medium**

**Garden Piece.**



**Select only**

**2**

**Glow in the**

**Dark**

**Mushrooms**



**Tiny accent  
pieces  
are first come,  
first serve.**

**Limit 8 pieces.**



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## Beginning Talking Points:

- Ground Rules - setup: Caregivers must be present, everyone needs to write their name on the badge at the seat they choose (parents grab chairs from back), please remain seated until program has begun and station rotations have started. No one may enter or leave during the beginning instructions and discussion.
  - Name Badge color is what group you are in.
  - Each group will go in a rotation order.
  - There are 4 stations (labeled) and there are 4 name badge colors (black, orange, green, red) you are grouped by color because it allows everyone the opportunity to be first at selecting one of their materials as most of the items are unique.
  - Everyone will have 1 minute per station to select their item and when I say rotate you can move to the next station. Please do not rotate to the next station until I say you can, if you have extra time, please take the materials you have selected to your seat.
  - There is a number limit to every table. Please pay attention to the signs and only select up to that maximum amount. Please note that these are small teacups, so you do not have to get that amount if you don't want, it is just the max amount you can get of each item.
  - What you see is what you get, all items are out and I do not have more. ( All of my materials came from amazon, so anything you'd like to add, you can always go there or for larger teacups, flea markets, basket world, etc) Lowes offers these tiny succulents or even larger options as well.

## Talking Points:

- Ground Rules/Talking Points:
  - Once everyone has had a chance to select their core materials, which means the animals/garden pieces/mushrooms & chosen cup. I will be passing out the succulent that you will receive based on your cup selection.
    - Please note that gravel has to be used in the bottom of the glass for all cups, so the gravel bags are measured out specifically for the smaller cups only due to them not being large enough for moss and the amount of gravel available.
- Programs coming up:
  - STEAM - May 14th 5:30-7, Build IT - May 8th 5:30-7, Kickoff May 31st. Summer is approaching, the SLC will start on May 1st. We also have some great creativity unleashed programs scheduled for 1 saturday in June and July.

## During Planting:

- Input Gravel at bottom of cup (this helps with aeration and keeping the succulent dry and not mold at all)
- This soil has been premixed with some perlite grow and potting soil to help provide the nutrients and keep the soil aerated (allows water, air, and nutrients to get to the roots)
- Refer to soil guidelines on succulent care.





## Structure:

- **Ground Rules**
- **Station rotations/Color Assignments**
- **Demonstration of Planting/Discuss Care**
- **Gravel around bottom**
- **Soil**
- **Make circle and insert succulent (\* pass out succulents)**
- **Put on top layer of gravel/moss**
- **Everyone can now plan out their designs and layout with the pieces they chose. they are also to add on any tiny pieces and switch out any other pieces (except the cup/succulent) that they like.**
- **Glue Stations**
- **Grab care instructions & a book on the way out! FIN!**

