

# How To Force Hyacinth Bulbs

Have Hyacinths blooming for Christmas!

Use Prepared Bulbs - Bulbs that have gone through a chilling process for 4-6 weeks to trick them into thinking it is Winter. Therefore allowing them to grow early indoors.

1. Put on a pair of gloves! - Hyacinth bulbs can cause skin irritation.
2. Fill the glass with water, just below the neck of the glass.
3. Rest the bulb in the top of the glass, ensuring the water does not touch the bottom of the bulb, then put the glass in a cool dark place for six weeks for roots to form.
4. Once the main shoot is about 7-10cm tall, move the glass into full light.
5. Turn the glass around by a half-turn every day. This helps to prevent the plant from growing towards the light. Make sure to water when necessary.



Top Tip!

This can be done with almost any type of bulb!

