Wilow’s Tree Hollow
My Fairy Garden™ Leaflet

Create your own magical fairy garden playset!
Did you know that fairies are everywhere? They are! Not everyone can see them, but for those of us who can, they’re a magical sight! Fairies love nature, so you’ll usually find them near flowers, tree and toadstools, or among other wild and beautiful plants. You can invite fairies into your home by creating magical gardens...it’s true! They will quickly become your friends when you give them a lovely home and help them care for it!

This set includes everything you’ll need to make a special garden Tree Hollow for the fairy Willow! Willow is a special fairy who loves to spend her time with animals and creatures around her. She cannot resist the sweet eyes of a bunny or the playfulness of a ladybug, and is the first to help a lost or injured critter. Animals often visit her tree hollow to play, when Willow isn’t out exploring the forest for new friends.

Once you build Willow’s Tree Hollow and start growing your garden, you can make it even more enchanting by adding your own flowers and decorations!
Contents: 2-Piece Tree Hollow, Base, Chandelier, Porch Light, Table, 2 Chairs, Seed Packet, Soil, Watering Can (4 oz.), 4 Gardening Tools, Willow the Fairy, Nibbles the Bunny, Fairy Stand, Magical Flying Cord

Growing Your Fairy Garden

• Place the compressed soil in a bowl with a little less than one cup of water and allow it to soften. The puck will absorb the water and expand… it’s fun to watch it grow!

• Attach the Chandelier to the inside of the tree hollow.

• Snap together the two halves of the tree hollow. Press it together well, making sure the seam is tight. Set it on the base.

• Attach the Porch Light above the front door, and place the bird bath on the base. Note: The Porch Light and Chandelier are decorations only; they are not real working lights.
Growing Your Fairy Garden (continued)

- Once the soil is damp (after about a half hour), break it up with your gardening rake. Then, scoop soil into the three planting areas on the tree hollow. You may also add soil to the base if you wish to plant here as well!

- Once the soil is in place, fluff it up with your garden rake and make sure there are no dry areas.

- Evenly scatter seeds on all of the soil areas. Sprinkle them evenly about \( \frac{1}{8} \)” to \( \frac{1}{4} \)” apart. Using your gardening tools, gently press the seeds into the soil.

**TIP:** Planting seeds too close together will cause them to crowd each other out.

- Evenly sprinkle two ounces of water (about half of your watering can) onto your seeds.
Caring for Your Fairy Garden

- Check the water level daily to make sure the soil and plants do not dry out. Soil should always be damp (not hard or dry), but be careful not to overwater!

**TIP:** For quicker germination, a plastic bag can be placed over the entire set to hold moisture in.

**TIP:** If you overwater, ask an adult to gently tip it and pour water out, or soak it up with a paper towel.
**Caring for Your Fairy Garden** (continued)

- Put your fairy garden near a window that gets western or southern sun, and rotate your garden daily.

**TIP:** Place your fairy garden on a sturdy surface so it won’t fall or get knocked over!

- Depending on the temperature and location, the seeds will take about three to seven days to start growing. First you will see sprouts come up through the soil, and then you will start seeing some leaves and color. After six to 10 weeks, you will see some flowers! Note: Plants and growth will vary.

First you’ll see sprouts, then leaves and some color!
Make it Your Own

- Add any decorations or accessories you want! Fairies like rocks, pebbles, flowers, twigs, shells, etc. You can even arrange the furniture to the inside of the tree hollow!

- Want to add some other flowers or plants? You can do that, too! We’ve given you enough to get started, but go ahead and make it special!

- Look for My Fairy Garden accessory sets to spruce up your gardens!

Play

- As your garden grows, you get to have fun playing with Willow and Nibbles! Set them in the garden, or inside the tree hollow! Use the stand to help Willow stay on her own, or attach the magical flying cord to Willow’s back and to the top section on the tree hollow and make her look like she’s flying!

Did you create an awesome fairy garden? Send us photos and we’ll post online! mygarden@playmonster.com
We wanted to make sure you had a variety of fast-growing greens and leafy plants, with some pretty color, and also some flowers that will appear later!

- Organic Forget-Me-Not Indigo Blue (Myosotis alpestris)
- Organic Alyssum (Lobularia maritima)
- Organic Baby’s Breath (Gypsophila paniculata)
- Organic Dinosaur Kale Lacinato (Brassica rapus)
- Organic Garnet Red Amaranthus (Amaranthus tricolor)
- Organic Arugula (Eruca sativa)
- Organic Chicory (Cichorium intybus)
- Organic Endive/Escarole (Cichorium endivia)
- Organic Salad Bowl Greens (Lactuca sativa)
- Organic Black Seeded Simpson (Lactuca sativa)
- Organic Buttercrunch (Lactuca sativa)
- Organic Red Giant Mustard (Brassica juncea)
- Organic Dill (Anethum graveolens)
- Organic Slow Bolt Cilantro (Coriandrum sativum)

**Warning:** Water may leak from playset. Do not play or set on a surface that could be damaged by water.

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**You can collect other fairies, friends and accessories for even bigger fun!**

**Also available:**

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