

# In my little garden bed / The little plant

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From 'Finger plays' by Emilie Poulssen, music C. C. Roeske.

**Verse 1. Draw a patch in front of you. Rake fingers of one hand. Plant seeds. Cover with one hand. 2. Make your arms into a big circle above her fingers down like rain. 3. Point fingers downward and wiggle. Then upwards. 4. Wiggle thumb upwards high into the air. Open hands up flowers.**



The musical score is written on three staves in 2/4 time. The first staff has a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (Bb). The notes are: F4, G4, A4, Bb4, C5, Bb4, A4, G4, F4. Chords above are F, C, F. The second staff continues: C4, D4, E4, F4, G4, A4, Bb4, C5, Bb4, A4, G4, F4. Chords above are C, G, C, F, Bb, C. The third staff continues: F4, G4, A4, Bb4, C5, Bb4, A4, G4, F4. Chords above are F, C, F, C, F. The lyrics are: "In my lit - tle gar - den bed Raked so nice - ly o - ver; First the ti - ny seeds I sow, Then with soft earth cov - er. Shin - ing down the great round sun, Smiles up - on it of - ten. Lit - tle rain - drops pat - 'ring down, Help the seeds to soft - en."

In my little garden bed  
Raked so nicely over,  
First the tiny seeds I sow,  
Then with soft earth cover.  
Shining down the great round sun,  
Smiles upon it often;  
Little raindrops pattering down,  
Help the seeds to soften.



Now the little plant awakes!  
Down the roots go creeping.  
Up it lifts its little head  
Through the brown mould peeping.  
High and higher still it goes,  
Through the summer hours,  
Till some happy day the buds,  
Open into flowers.

