

Miniature Gardens

1. Choose where the garden is to be located
 - indoors
 - outdoors
 - inside/outside

2. How much light?
 - full sun
 - part sun
 - shade

3. Watering needs?
 - pick plants wisely
 - pick soil accordingly

4. Be creative!
 - re-purpose all kinds of treasures
 - fun and whimsical accents
 - show your style
 - add props and figurines

5. Choosing plants
 - dwarf vs. miniature
 - maintenance requirements
 - reusing your plants in the landscape

6. Choosing a suitable container
 - Larger the pot, longer the life of the mini garden
 - Try even an old broken pot
 - Use a birdbath after adding drain hole
 - Maybe an old fountain?

Websites to look over.....

Two Green Thumbs – living miniature gardens has excellent information
Iseli Nursery – dwarf and miniature conifer information