

Making seeds

Plants start to grow seeds as soon as they have some pollen from another plant.



When pollen lands on a poppy, a pod grows in the middle.



Seeds grow inside the pod and the flower begins to die.

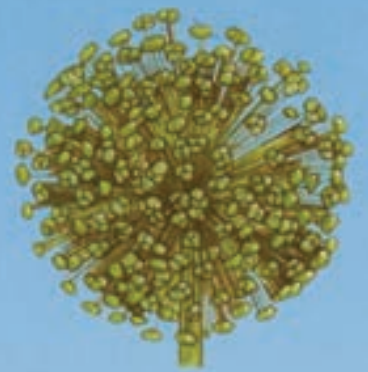


The petals fall off, leaving a pod full of seeds.



Alliums are made up of lots of tiny flowers.

Each flower becomes a tiny seed pod.



Chinese lantern seeds grow inside a hollow case.



Some caterpillars live in seed pods. When the caterpillars move, the pods seem to 'jump'.