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STUDENT ACTIVITY

PLANT FLIP BOOK

WHAT YOU NEED:

- 10–20 (or more) unlined pieces of paper, cut to about 3" x 3"
- Access to internet
- Drawing materials
- Stapler

Some plants, such as dandelions, change during the day, opening early but closing later in the day. If you can, observe such a plant at different times during the day. How did it change? When do you think it will change again? Change in other plants may be trickier to see in one day. Think about the plants you see on the playground or in your backyard. How much do you think these plants change throughout a week, month, or year?

1 **Observe**

Search online for a time-lapse video that shows a plant's growth. After watching the video, create several drawings of the plant as it grows. Compare the drawings and discuss what changes occurred.

2 **Create**

Put your drawings in order and make a flip book to show how the plant changes. Each drawing should be just slightly different from the one before it.

3 **Finish**

Staple the pictures together and flip the pages to see the change happening.

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