

# How to grow basil



# Preparing your pot

Take one small seed tray.



Fill the tray with good soil mix.



Level out the soil in the tray.

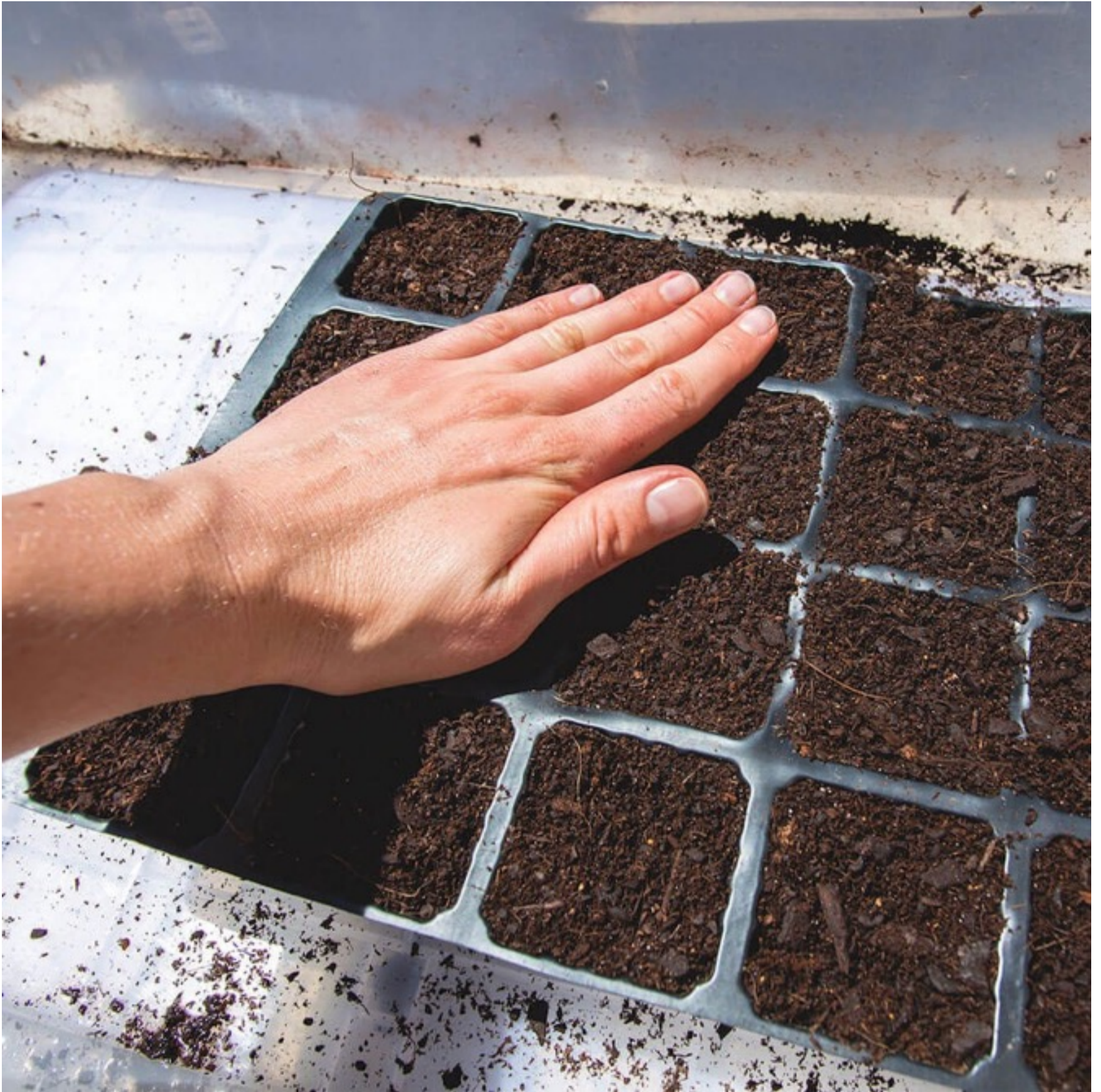




Put three or four seeds in each section.



Spray the seeds with water.



Cover seeds with more soil.



Spray again with water.





Cover the tray with a clear plastic cover.



Find a sunny location for the seeds to grow.



Water every day



When the plants are big enough  
they can be transplanted in to  
a large pot.  
1 plant per pot.



When there is no danger of frosts, basil can be planted outside.



Basil prefers to be watered early morning.



When the plants are big enough pinch out the tips of branches and flowers to keep the plant growing.



You can leave some plants on your kitchen window ledge to use when cooking.