



PLANT CARE TIPS

WITHIN A TERRARIUM

WATER



- WATER PLANTS WHEN THE LEAVES DROOP, OR SHOW SIGNS OF DROUGHT.
- USE A FINE MIST, OR WATER DROPLETS TO WATER PLANTS, DO NOT USE A WATER BOTTLE. YOU WANT TO REPLICATE A LIGHT RAIN, OR MIST.
- DON'T OVER-WATER, BETTER TO LET PLANTS GO DRY. BUT BETTER TO UNDERWATER THAN OVER WATER.
- SOIL RETAINING TOO MUCH WATER? USE VERMICULITE, CRUSHED LECA, AND MORE CHARCOAL TO HELP.
- SOIL NOT RETAINING MOISTURE? USE SPHAGNUM MOSS, AND PUT LIVE MOSS, SAND, OR LEAF LITTER, ON TOP OF SOIL TO RETAIN WATER

LIGHT

- USE A FULL-SPECTRUM LIGHT, UVB LIGHTS WORK TOO. HIGH QUALITY AQUARIUM LIGHTS, OUR GROW LIGHT BULBS, OR MOST LIGHTS WORK. DON'T OVERTHINK IT.
- PLANTS WILL ADAPT TO THE LIGHT, SO DON'T THROW AWAY ANY DEAD PLANTS, AS IT MAY JUST BE ADAPTING.
- ENSURE A 8-12 HOUR CYCLE,
- FOLLOW THE LIGHTING REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PLANTS. E.G, MOSS NEEDS LOW LIGHT, IF YOU HAVE A MOSS PREDOMINANT DISPLAY, USE A LESS INTENSE LIGHT, TO MIMIC THE FOREST FLOOR.



BENEFICIAL BUGGIES

- SPRINGTAILS & ISOPODS HELP IMMENSELY, IN THE GROWTH OF PLANTS WITHIN A TERRARIUM, OR ENCLOSURE. THEY HELP EAT THE DECAYING WASTE AND TURN IT INTO SOMETHING MORE DIGESTIBLE FOR THE PLANTS.
- MYCORRHIZAL FUNGI HELPS IN THE AID OF BRINGING AERATION TO THE ROOTS OF THE PLANT, A SYMBIOTIC FUNGUS HELPS OUT COMPETE THE OTHER FUNGI SPECIES, WHILST ALSO HELPING THE PLANTS GROW.
- GNATS BEING A PEST? USE A CARNIVOURS PLANT, LOWER WATER MOISTURE, CAP SOIL WITH SAND, AND INTRODUCE A JUMPING SPIDER, OR YOU CAN OUT COMPETE THEM WITH SPRINGTAILS.

