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Planning a flower or vegetable bed

Ask your youngster for help in measuring out a new flower bed.

What shape will it be? Traditionally beds are rectangular because that makes it easier to tend to the plants. The best size is one where you can reach over to about 1/2 way without stepping on the plants.

How far is your reach?

Use a design programme or pen and paper and draw it out on paper. Plan which flowers you will choose to plant.

How much will plants cost? Will it be better to plant from seed?

Work out the costs of the new bed.

