

Using Your Compost

After you've harvested your castings, there are several ways in which to use this nutrient rich compost.

Create Potting Soil

You can add compost to pre-made potting mix, or create your own using soil, peat moss, vermiculite, and compost.

Seed Starting Mix

Two parts compost
Two parts peat moss
One part vermiculite

Foliage Houseplant Mix

Two parts compost
One part peat moss
One part vermiculite

As a Soil Amendment

Mix the compost into your garden soil before you plant in the spring or summer.

Side Dress Existing Plants

Place a handful of compost at the base of the plant. Gently rake it into the soil taking care not to disturb the roots. Water afterwards.

Worm Tea

Use the liquid that accumulates in the bottom of your drainage bin to water your plants.
Mix 1/4 cup of the liquid with 1 gallon of water.