

# ■ Permaculture Nursery Quick Cheat Sheet (Michelina Hunter)

- Start small — bins, a spare room, and a table are enough.
- Grow what excites you AND what people will buy.
- Seeds are easiest for beginners — plants/tubers add later profits.
- Source seeds from trusted suppliers — trial them before scaling.
- Protect genetics — learn isolation distances and pollination biology.
- Harvest seeds fully mature — dry under cover if weather threatens.
- Use DIY methods (fans, screens, stomping) to clean seeds cheaply.
- Perennials often need stratification or scarification — test germination.
- Sell online: Etsy is easy to start, but move to your own site.
- Expect modest profits in year 1; real income comes by year 2–3.

***"Start small — a spare room and bins are enough to launch."***