

## NES: How does their garden grow?



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North Elementary fourth grade boys and girls under the guidance of Angela Sachson from the Okeechobee Extension office, have been tending to their portable garden by watering, fertilizing and now harvesting green peppers, jalapeno peppers and radishes. They will soon be picking the tomatoes, cucumbers, eggplant and corn just in time for Thanksgiving. The boys and girls are taking great pride in the garden's accomplishments. (above left) Mrs. Phillips and Chance Hickman. (above right) Jalapeno pepper is nearly as big as a student's hand.



(left) Students from Mr. Stanley's class using a rainbarrel to catch the water for the plants they have been cultivating.

(right) It's so much fun to see the vegetables grow! Gianna Venters shows what can grow with a little care.

