

“SEED”  
Easy Read Visual Story



## About the Performance "SEED"



"SEED" is a fun, lively **theatre** performance. It includes **music, interaction, puppetry, explosions, inflatables** and **live music**.



SEED is about a love for **trees and nature**, and **excitement**.



The set is a large **shed** with a **blue tower**.



The **doors** of the shed **open** and the performers can go **inside** and **climb on top** of the shed.



The **rope** marks out the **performance space**. You need to sit or stand **outside** of the **roped area** to watch the performance.



A **large inflatable slug** also appears towards the **end** of the performance.



SEED is a **static** performance. This means it **doesn't move** around and the audience stay still to watch it.



During the **performance** you can **join in**.



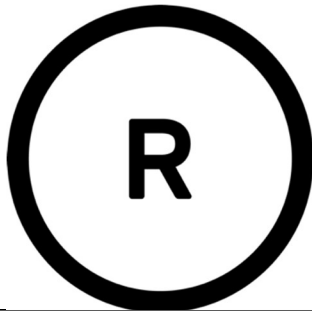
Other people might **shout out** during the performance.



The performance takes place at **Crown Bank**.



The performance lasts about **35 minutes**.



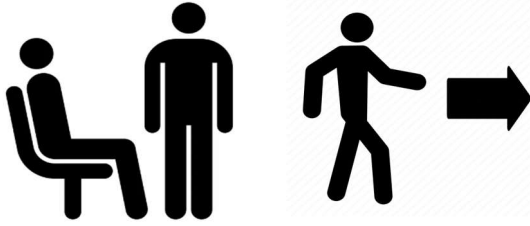
The performances are **relaxed**.



You can **wear headphones**.



You can make **noise** and **clap**, and join in the performance.



You can **come** and **go** during the performance.



During the show you can **ask for help**.

Lookout for the people wearing this **Appetite logo**.

## The Performers



I am Pete, I play the role of **Wilford**.

Wilford is a **gruff, lonely** man. He **loves** trees and wears **dungarees**.



**Napoleon** is a **chicken puppet**. Napoleon is Wilford's only friend. He "**Cocka doodle doos**" and lays eggs.

Napoleon is **operated** by **Pete**.



**Trigger !**

Towards the end of the performance **Napoleon** is in an **accident** and appears to have died. Napoleon is **okay** in the end.

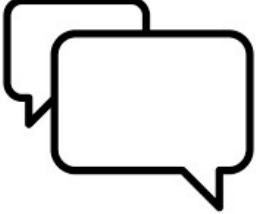


There are also **orange slugs** of **different sizes**, they do not have names.

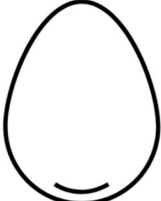


**Wilford** does **not like** the **slugs** because they are not good for his seeds.

## Section 1: Pre Show

	Wilford <b>talks</b> to the audience. He asks them to be on “ <b>Slug Watch</b> ”. Slug Watch is where you <b>look out</b> for slugs.
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## Section 2: Wake Up

	Wilford <b>wakes up</b> .
	The slugs play <b>hide and seek</b> .
	Napoleon lays an <b>egg</b> and Wilford <b>eats it</b> .

### Section 3: Shower



Wilford tries to have a **shower** but there is **no water**.



Wilford makes some **compost** and **feeds** it to 2 trees.



Wilford **plays** some **music** on his **Tuba** whilst feeding the trees.

### Section 4: Slug Check



Wilford is **worried** there might be a **slug** in the **audience**.

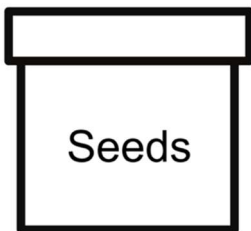


Wilford and Napoleon go **into the audience** to look for slugs.



Wilford and Napoleon **find a slug** in the ear of a **person** in the audience.

### Section 5: Planting




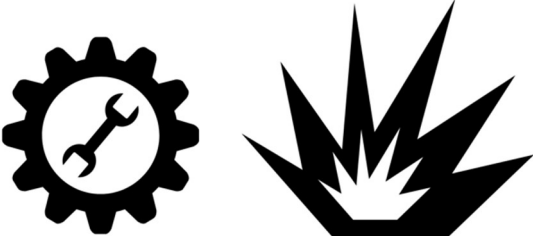
Wilford gets out his **box of seeds**. He only has **one** seed left, an **acorn** seed.



Wilford mimes **planting** the seed.


	<p>Wilford <b>climbs</b> onto his <b>shed</b> and tries to plant his acorn seed.</p>
	<p>Wilford can't plant his acorn seed because his <b>watering can</b> is <b>empty</b>.</p>

### Section 6: Slug Trap


	<p><b>Trigger !</b></p> <p>A <b>slug</b> appears on the shed's ladder. Audience <b>shout</b> out "Slug". You can <b>join in</b> if you like by shouting when you see a slug.</p>
	<p><b>Trigger !</b></p> <p>Wilford <b>makes</b> a slug trap. There is a <b>small explosion</b> effect while Wilford is making his Slug Trap.</p>

### Section 7: Slug Blown Up


	<p><b>Trigger !</b></p>
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	<p>A <b>slug</b> starts to move towards the <b>acorn pot</b> but he gets <b>blown up</b>.</p>
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### Section 8: Rain !

	<p>Wilford is <b>happy</b> that the slug hasn't got his acorn pot. He does a little <b>dance</b>.</p>
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	<p>Wilford discovers that his <b>shower head</b> is like a <b>microphone</b>. He <b>sings</b> about there being <b>no rain</b>.</p>
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	<p><b>Trigger !</b></p> <p>The shed <b>rains</b>, and there is a <b>rain dance</b>.</p> <p>The <b>water</b> from the shed sometimes <b>splashes people</b> in the <b>front of the audience</b>.</p> <p>If you do not want to get wet you should <b>stand at the back</b> or the <b>side</b> of the audience.</p>
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Wilford invites people to **join** in the **rain dance**.

You can **join in** and dance, if you would like to.

## Section 9: Grow



**During** the rain dance the acorn **seed grows**.



Wilford goes to **play** his Tuba but it **isn't working**.

His Tuba has a **slug in it**.



The slug **jumps** onto Wilford's **face**.

Wilford goes into the shed to find Napoleon and get help with the slug.

	<p>Another <b>slug</b> appears.</p>
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### Section 10: Slug Invasion

	<p>“There are <b>too many</b> slugs in the compost banger! Take Cover!” <b>shouts</b> Wilford</p>
	<p><b>Trigger!</b></p> <p>There is an <b>explosion</b> and <b>three slugs</b> fly into the air. They land <b>near</b> the audience.</p>
	<p>Wilford <b>chases</b> the slugs, he returns in a <b>cape of slime</b> and slugs.</p>
	<p>Wilford <b>fights</b> to get free of the slugs, and <b>hits</b> the slugs with a <b>spade</b>.</p>



A **giant slug** appears behind the shed.



**Trigger !**

Audience **shouts** “Slug, slug, slug”. You can **join in** if you would like to.

## Section 11: Giant Slug Fight



There is a **fight** between Wilford, Napoleon and the **giant slug**.



Napoleon is **swallowed** by the giant inflatable slug.



Wilford tries to **save** Napoleon and also gets **swallowed** by the inflatable slug.



Wilford **appears** out of the top of the slug.

He **celebrates** beating the slug.

## Section 12: Napoleon is Hurt



### **Emotional Trigger !**

Wilford discovers Napoleon and he is **unconscious**. This means that he is **not awake**.



Wilford is **sad** that his only friend has been **hurt**.

He also discovers that his **seedling** has been **hurt** during the fight.

He **cries** and cuddles Napoleon.

## Section 13: Oak Tree Appears



As Wilford cries an **oak tree** begins to **grow** under him. The oak tree **lifts him up**.



Napoleon wakes up and helps Wilford find some seeds in his pocket.



Music plays and builds, and Wilford throws the seeds into the air.



The End



**YAY!**

You can **clap** and make **noise**.

### Section 14: After the Show



When the show is **over** you can “**Meet Napoleon**”, if you want to.