## Make orchids (plants) fertilizer yourself: OUR TIP

If you want a beautiful, strong orchid that blooms nicely, the best way to fertilize your orchids is to use banana peel as fertilizer. The banana peel is a great fertilizer for the garden: More than ten percent of the peel consists of minerals such as potassium, magnesium and calcium. It also contains some nitrogen and sulfur - good for many plants.

Flowering perennials (orchids) and roses react particularly well to fertilization with banana peel. They are healthier, more blooming and thanks to the high potassium content they get through the winter better. Since the nitrogen content is very low, you can fertilize your plants with banana peels throughout the season.

How do I fertilize with banana peel?

For liquid fertilizers, boil the crushed banana peel in water. For every 100 grams of fertilizer there is one liter of water. Let the boiled brew steep for twelve hours. Then strain the liquid fertilizer, put it in a watering can and dilute the fertilizer in a ratio of 1: 5 with water.

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Cut the peel into small pieces so that it decomposes faster later.

Now you can put the bowl in the sun to dry or sprinkle it right away.

It's best to mix the banana peel pieces a little under the soil between the roots. Perennials and flowers, such as roses, are particularly happy about the banana peels.

Approx. 100 g of banana peel per plant are a guideline - overfertilizing is actually not possible.

Banana peel against dust on indoor plants:

If you don't have a garden, you can use the banana peels to care for the leaves of your indoor plants. The banana peel binds the dust - ideal for indoor plants in winter.

To do this, rub the inside of the leaves (where the pulp is) over the leaves.

The dust will then stick to the sticky inside of the banana peel.

In addition, the banana peel gives the plant a new shine and ensures that dust can no longer accumulate so quickly. Tip: If you put the banana peels in the flower pot of your houseplant, cut into small pieces, you will also prevent aphid infestation and other pests.



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