

# Brain Pathways Activity

## Outcome

- Student understand that thinking in new ways is hard, but rewarding

## Resources

- Box of dirt
- water
- plant

## Start

- Water flows down a path
- But if we wanted to change that path to water the plant
- it requires more work, more effort
- But in the end, we get something better
- you are all plants, you are growing, and sometimes the way your brain has developed up to this point is not how it should be thinking
- we're humans, we live in sin, and we desire easy ways out of hard decisions
- Math is hard decisions, hard thinking, hard rationalizations
- But Math teaches us how to think
- teaches us how to see the world differently
- Christ saw the world differently, and because of His sacrifice, changed the world.
- I believe God has given us minds, and we are the stewards of those minds
- let us begin a semester of changing minds
- go into syllabus