**Sunflower**

**About me**

Some people call me by my latin name, Helianthus and others know me as sunflower, girassol, tournesol,... Although I mostly have yellow flowers, I occasionally 'blush' in rusty red, green and white bursts of flowering patterns.

Mostly, I need sun. I'm at my best shape when my soil is fertile and when I'm in a sheltered spot, but I also thrive if I'm placed in a container. When on the ground, I grow really tall! I have throughout my live inspired many artists, whith the most famous one being Van Gogh. [Agnes Dennes](http://agnesdenesstudio.com/) once planted a field of golden wheat in Manhattan and I wished I'd been there too, but it was in 1982 when I wasn't born yet and only my wheat friends made it to the plot of land.

**My favourite Web sites**

* [About Van Gogh's Sunflowers, 1888 by the National Gallery](https://www.nationalgallery.org.uk/paintings/vincent-van-gogh-sunflowers)
* [Sunflowers, 1889 at the Van Gogh's Museum](https://www.vangoghmuseum.nl/en/collection/s0031V1962?v=1)
* [About the Sunflowers series by Wikipedia](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sunflowers_(Van_Gogh_series))