



Archive transcript for: ‘How do dandelions spread their seeds?’

Once fertilisation has taken place, the plant will produce seeds.

They will often use the wind to transport these seeds...

...and one of the best at this is the dandelion.

Each of the dandelion seeds comes with its own individual parachute.

This device works so well that...a slight wind will carry the seeds high into the sky.

There are so many adult plants here, that there is no room for the next generation of plants to grow.

So the dandelions need the wind to take their seeds miles away.

New plants are formed and the whole process begins again.