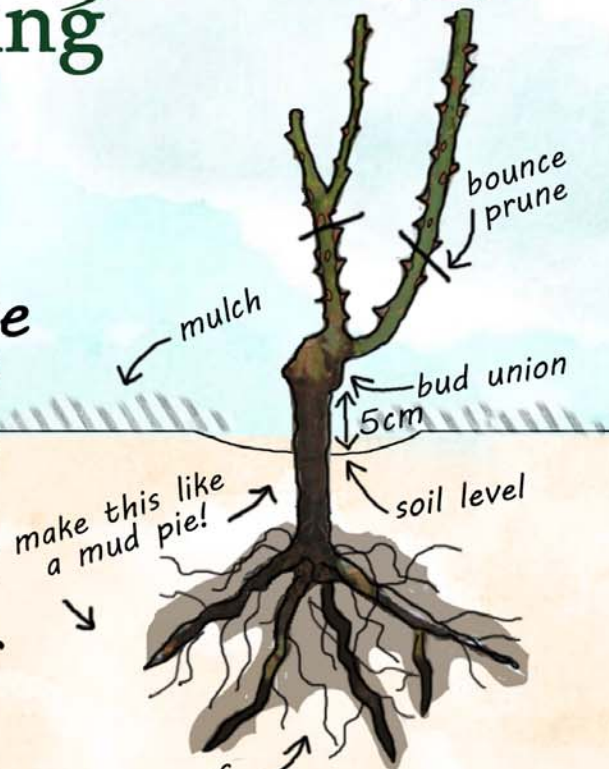



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How to plant a Swane's winter rose, whether it's dressed in a bag, or completely nude!

pH Test the soil. Tolerable range is 6.0 - 7.0. Newly purchased bulk soils may not have a balanced pH.

soak Unwrap the rose and rehydrate the whole plant in a bucket of water for at least an hour before planting.

bounce prune Make your rose grow by pruning stems back to within 100mm of the bud union.

slurry Continuously fill the planting hole with water creating a slurry as you backfill. The result is no dry spots and better early root formation. Use Swane's Rose Mix 50/50 with site soil. Do not use fertilisers at the time of planting.

mulch Immediately cover the planting area with lucerne mulch. Water down to slow evaporation.

water Establishment takes 6 - 8 weeks. Apply water daily and slowly so the soil can soak it up. Do not allow the soil around the rose to dry out.

Tips:

- Plant your rose immediately after purchase.
- Use the same process for potted plants.
- Place stakes and frames before planting.
- For best results, begin using Swane's Bloom Booster 6 weeks after planting. Never apply to dry soil.