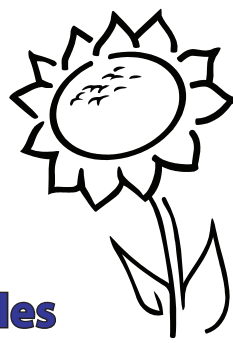


Why Garden?

Gardens give us food and exercise, and allow us to be outdoors. We learn how to care for living things. We also can share the foods we grow with our neighbors.

There is always something new going on in a garden. Plants grow from tiny seeds. Seeds germinate and become tiny plants that will grow and grow and grow until they produce vegetables.

Gardening



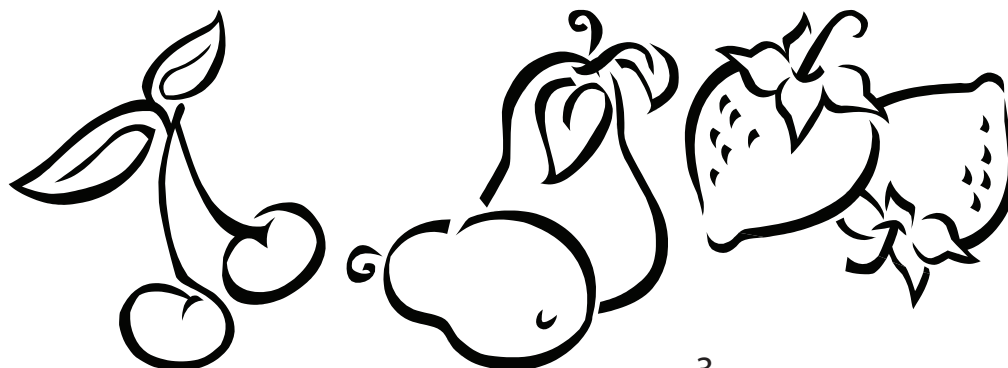
Garden Giggles

How did the farmer mend his pants?
How do you repair a broken tomato?
What did bacon say to tomato?

ANSWERS:
With cabbage patches!
With tomato paste!
Lettuce get together!

Name and color the fruit:

apple, banana, cherries, pears, strawberries, watermelon

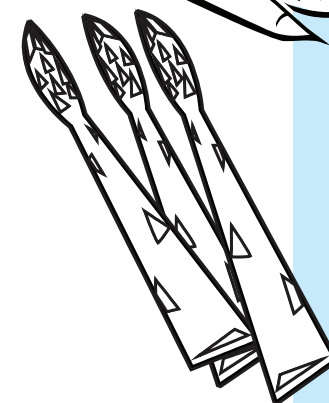
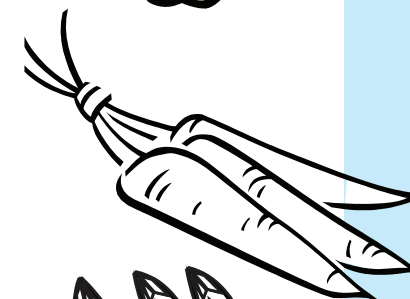
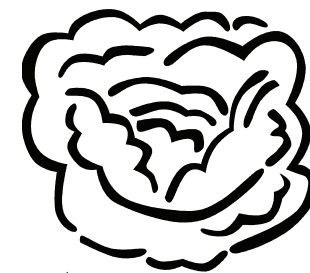


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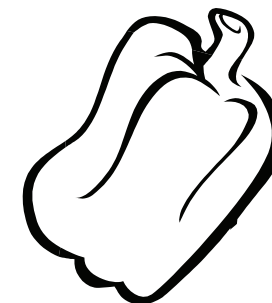


Vegetables

To be healthy we should eat vegetables every day. They have vitamins and minerals that keep our bodies strong.

Draw a line to the vegetable:

- asparagus
- broccoli
- carrots
- corn
- green beans
- lettuce
- peppers
- pumpkin



Find and circle the gardening words:

DIRT, FLOWER, FRUIT, HOE, HOSE, PLANT, SEEDS, SOIL, SUN, WATER

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Unscramble the Letters

Find the three things plants need to live.

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WARTE
SIOL

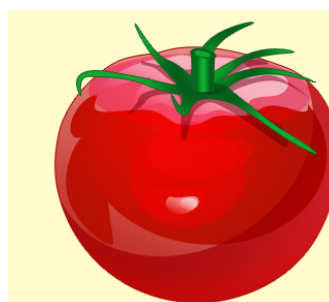


FRUIT ANSWERS: 1. cherries, 2. pears, 3. strawberries, 4 apple, 5. watermelon, 6. banana



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How many pounds of tomatoes does the average American eat each year?

About 22 pounds! More than half of that is in the form of ketchup or tomato sauce.

Bees collect nectar from flowers to make honey. Help the bee find the flower.

