

FACTSHEET

The month of August brings us National Allotment Week! So, we've put together a bunch of fun facts and activities all about growing your own.

SEASONAL STARS

Allotments aren't just for the summer. You can grow fruit and veg all year! Here are some of the foods that love each season...

DID YOU KNOW?
There are around 200 seeds on every strawberry!



When it's spring, try growing



When it's winter, you can still grow



When it's summer, you can grow



When it's autumn, look out for



ODD ONE OUT

Here's a fun puzzle. Look at our fruit and veg line-ups and try to find the odd one out on each row. Circle your answer.



CARROT



CABBAGE



APPLE



LETTUCE



TOMATO



PEAS



RASPBERRY



POTATO



PUMPKIN



TOMATO



GRAPES



BEETROOT

DID YOU KNOW?
Peas lose their sweetness quickly after picked, so eat them fast!

ANSWERS: ODD ONE OUT
1. Apple - it's the only fruit that doesn't grow on vines
2. Potato - it's the only one that grows in the ground
3. Beetroot - it's the only one that doesn't grow on vines

ACTIVITY SHEET

DRAW THE OTHER HALF

We need your help finishing some fruit and veg pictures. **Can you draw and colour the other half?**



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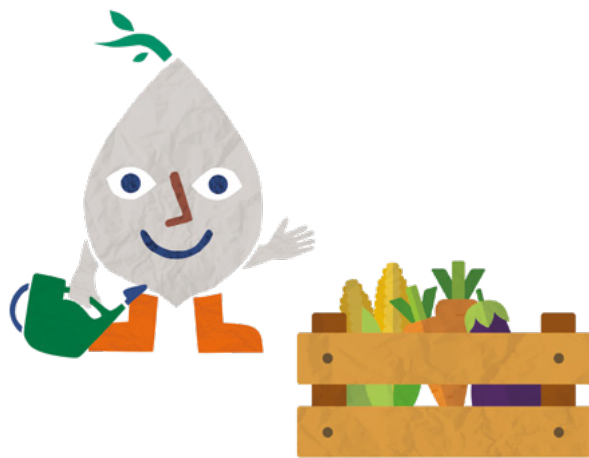
CARROT



PEAR



APPLE



QUICK QUESTIONS

Tell us about some of your favourite allotment fruit and veg. **Just fill in the blanks...**



1. My favourite vegetable is:

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2. My favourite fruit is:

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3. This summer, I would like to grow:

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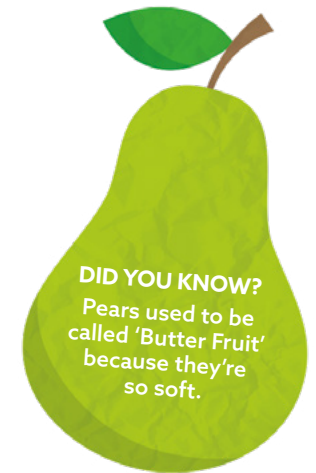


Want to share your answers? Just use #DobbiesLittleSeedlings and tag us.

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DID YOU KNOW?
Pears used to be called 'Butter Fruit' because they're so soft.