

FACTSHEET

With autumn on its way, we're exploring the colours of the season. Check out all our fun autumn facts.

PUMPKIN PATCH FACTS

Autumn is the perfect time to pick pumpkins, but did you know any of these facts about the **Halloween stars**?

TOP TIP

If you're carving a pumpkin, try an ice cream scoop to get out all the seeds.



Pumpkins are actually a fruit

There are 45 different types of pumpkin

There's a pumpkin boat race each year in Canada



You can get yellow, white, green or red pumpkins too

Thousands of years ago mammoths would spread pumpkin seeds



An American farmer grows pumpkins that look like Frankenstein's head

AUTUMN NATURE FACTS

Every season comes with interesting facts, here are a few about autumn that you can share with friends and family.



In Australia and New Zealand, autumn begins on 1st March



Autumn is the best time to see the northern lights

China has a Moon Festival during autumn where they eat round foods



DID YOU KNOW?

Americans have a different name for autumn, they call it fall



It's the best time to harvest pumpkins and apples



Many birds travel over 11,000 miles to warmer places at this time of year

