

Gifts of Autumn Quiz: 17 Multiple Choice Trivia Questions about Vegetables and Fruits

1. Can I eat potatoes?

- yes, but they don't taste very good
- no, they're poisonous

2. What is another name for zucchini?

- pumpkin
- courgette
- pâtisson

3. Which substance gives peppers their pungent taste?

- capsaicin
- carotene
- caffeine

4. What discoveries were made in science through experiments on peas?

- Faraday's Laws
- Mendel's Laws
- The law of universal gravitation

5. What is the botanical name for onions in Latin?

- Cliacutevia
- Narciacute
- Allium

6. What happens if you eat very many carrots?

- your skin might turn orange
- nothing will happen

7. What substance is used to stimulate the flowering of this plant?

- ethylene
- sodium chloride
- acetylene

8. A very tasty and useful vegetable. Do you know what this plant is called?

- radish
- kohlrabi
- celery

9. How is the name of this plant translated from Greek into Russian?

- lantern

bubble

ball

10. Which variety of pepper is considered the most stinging (according to the Guinness Book of World Records 2013)?

Scorpio Trinidad

Habanero

Carolina Reaper

11. What are the names of the vegetable varieties of bananas that require heat treatment before consumption?

banano

robusto

platano

12. How much weight can quince fruits reach?

2 kg

1 kg

500 grams

13. Which plant's fruit is used to make raisins?

grapes

cherries

plums

14. In the biblical book of Genesis, the leaf of this plant was used by Adam and Eve to cover their nakedness. what is it called?

figs

apricots

dates

15. Which country is considered the birthplace of the pumpkin?

Mexico

- Ukraine
- China

16. Is it possible to eat the fruit of the sakura tree which blossoms during the traditional Hanami holiday in Japan?

- no
- yes

17. What poisonous substance is contained in apple seeds?

- calcium cyanide
- amygdalin glycoside
- ricin

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