

Earthy Potatoes

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Quiz

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1 What is the potato?

- ☐ a A vegetable
- ☐ b A fruit
- ☐ c A fungus

2 Where was the potato discovered?

- ☐ a In the foothills of the Andes Mountains in South America
- ☐ b In a field in Lincolnshire
- ☐ c In the Beijing region of North East China

3 How many potatoes does the average British person eat per year?

- ☐ a 16kg
- ☐ b 54kg
- ☐ c 94kg

4 Where do potatoes grow?

- ☐ a Underground
- ☐ b On a tree
- ☐ c On a bush

5 Which parts of the potato plant are edible?

- ☐ a The flowers and the tubers
- ☐ b The tubers only
- ☐ c The stem and the tubers

6 Who is said to have introduced potatoes to Britain?

- ☐ a Christopher Columbus
- ☐ b Charlie Corolli
- ☐ c Sir Francis Drake

7 What percentage of a potato is water?

- ☐ a 80%
- ☐ b 60%
- ☐ c 90%

8 Which has the most vitamin C?

- ☐ a Apple
- ☐ b Potato
- ☐ c Pineapple

9 Which country produces the most potatoes?

- ☐ a USA
- ☐ b China
- ☐ c India

10 Where is the most unusual place a potato has ever been grown?

- ☐ a In a wellington boot.
- ☐ b The top of Mount Everest
- ☐ c In space

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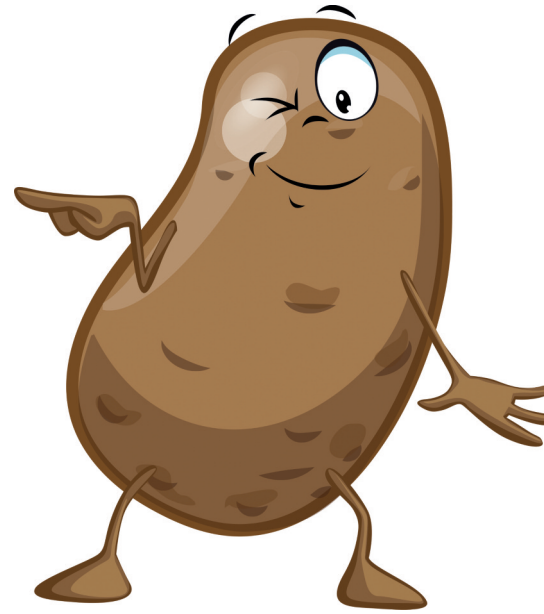
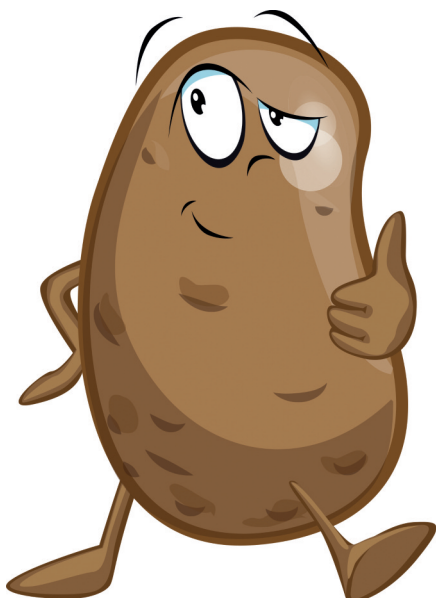
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