

Q LANGUAGE DETECTIVE

Talk About Words Work with a partner. Choose one of the Context Cards. Add words to the sentence to tell more about the photo. Use details that tell where and when.





- Read each Context Card.
- Ask a question that uses one of the blue words.

food

All kinds of food can grow in a garden.



first

The seeds are planted in the soil first.



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under

Carrots grow under

the ground.

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sometimes
Sometimes pumpkins
grow very big!



these

These tomatoes are ready to be picked.

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right

You can pick pea pods right off of the vine.



⁸ your What will you plant in your garden?





TARGET SKILL

Author's Purpose Authors may write to make you laugh or to give information. The reason an author writes something is called the **author's purpose.** As you read informational text, think about what the author wants you to learn. You can list details that explain the purpose in a chart like this one.



TARGET STRATEGY

Summarize Stop to tell important ideas about the topic. Use text evidence.

Agriculture

Many fruits and vegetables grow on farms. First, farmers plant seeds. They take care of the plants. Farmers pick the fruits and vegetables when they are ripe. Then the food is sent to stores for us to buy. You will learn more about food in **Where Does Food Come From?**

Think Write Pair Share

What can you see at a farm? Complete the sentence: I can see ____ at a farm. Share with a partner. Act it out.

- ▶ Take turns speaking.
- ▶ Listen carefully.
- Ask questions.
- Answer questions.



🗹 GENRE

Informational text gives facts about a

topic. Look for: ▶ information and

- Information and facts in the words
- photographs that show details about the real world

Meet the Author and Photographer Shelley Rotner

Shelley Rotner started writing books about things that interested her daughter. If you have questions about the world around you, the answers might be in a book by Ms. Rotner!

Meet the Author Gary Goss

Gary Goss says, "I love food and creating. I also love working with kids." Mr. Goss has written a children's cookbook called **Blue Moon Soup**.



Where Does FOOO Come From?

written by Shelley Rotner and Gary Goss

photographs by Shelley Rotner

ESSENTIAL QUESTION

What do farmers need to grow food?



Cocoa beans are seeds. They grow on cocoa trees. Chocolate is made by crushing and cooking cocoa beans. Hot cocoa is made from chocolate.



Apples are fruits that grow on trees. An apple is picked right off the tree. Apple juice is made by pressing the juice from apples.





Potatoes are vegetables.

These vegetables grow under the ground. French fries are made from potatoes.







Wheat is a grain that grows in fields. Flour can be made by crushing the wheat. Bread is made from flour.





Rice is a grain. It grows in wet fields called paddies. Rice that you eat is made by cooking the grain.





Corn is grain that grows in fields. Popcorn is made from corn. First you heat it, and then it pops.





Milk comes from cows or sometimes from goats. Butter, cheese, and ice cream are made from milk.



The eggs you eat are laid by hens. The hens live on farms. There are many ways to cook eggs.







Tomatoes grow on vines. Ketchup is made from tomatoes.

ANALYZE THE TEXT

Author's Purpose Why do the authors show a picture of ketchup near tomatoes?



Honey is made by bees. They bring the nectar of flowers to the hive. Maple syrup is made from sap. The sap drips from maple trees.





Where does your favorite food come from?

Q BE A READING DETECTIVE





Use Clues to Analyze the Text Use these pages to learn about Author's Purpose and Conclusions. Then read Where Does Food Come From? again.

Author's Purpose

Authors write for many reasons. Why do you think the authors wrote **Where Does Food Come From?** What did they want you to learn? You can find details in the selection that help explain the authors' topic. Use a chart to list the details that support the authors' purpose for writing.



Conclusions

Sometimes authors do not tell all the details. Readers can use text evidence in the words and pictures and think about what they already know to make a smart guess about what the author does not tell. This smart guess is a **conclusion**.

Think about the page in the selection that tells about honey. One conclusion you might make is that bees make honey from flower nectar.





Your Turn

RETURN TO THE ESSENTIAL QUESTION



What do farmers need to grow food? Think about what the authors want you to learn.

Take turns asking questions about where food comes from. Use details and other text evidence to help you answer.

Classroom Conversation

Talk about these questions with your class.

- Where does apple juice come from? How do you think it is made?
- 2 How are trees important in this selection? How are animals important?

3 Why did the authors write this selection?

WRITE ABOUT READING ····



Response Write a paragraph about your favorite food from the selection. Begin with a topic sentence to tell which food is your favorite. Next, write detail sentences to tell why you like it. Give reasons. Then write a sentence that gives an ending.



Writing Tip

A closing sentence comes at the end. It gives your writing a nice ending.



🗹 GENRE

A **fairy tale** is an old story with characters that can do amazing things.

TEXT FOCUS

Many fairy tales have storytelling phrases, such as once upon a time and happily ever after. Find these words. How do they make you feel? Why do you think the storyteller uses them?

Jack and The Beanstalk



Once upon a time, there was a boy named Jack. He and his mom had no money for food because someone had taken their goose. Sometimes, it would lay golden eggs for them!

Jack went to sell their cow. He met a man. "I will trade these special beans for your cow," the man said. Jack came home. His mother was mad. She threw the beans on the ground.

Soon a tall beanstalk grew. Jack climbed it. At the top was a huge castle. Inside, Jack found his goose in a cage under a table!

Then Jack heard, "FEE! FIE! FOE! FUM! Look out! Here I come!"

It was a giant! First Jack grabbed the goose. Then he ran right out the door.



Jack climbed down the beanstalk as fast as he could. He chopped it down.

Now Jack and his mother were safe, and they had their goose. They all lived happily ever after.





TEXT TO TEXT

Write About Food Choose three foods shown in the selections. Write sentences to tell where each food comes from. What else did you learn?

TEXT TO SELF

Tell About Food Describe beans or another vegetable you have eaten. Tell how it looked and tasted.

TEXT TO WORLD

Connect to Technology Use the Internet to find out how people grow a food you like. Draw a picture that shows what you learned.



Grammar

Names of Months, Days, and Holidays

The names of **months** in a year, **days** of the week, and **holidays** begin with a capital letter. When you write a date, use a **comma** between the day of the month and the year.

Months

We planted seeds on May 14, 2018.

Days of the Week

My dad cooked soup on Friday.

Holidays

My family eats turkey on Thanksgiving.





Write each sentence correctly. Use another sheet of paper. Tell a partner what you did to correct each sentence.

- 1. Ali began school on september 8 2017.
- 2. She has science club every friday.
- 3. There was no school on memorial day.
- 4. Last wednesday our class took a field trip.
- 5. School ended on june 14 2018.



Connect Grammar to Writing

When you proofread your writing, be sure you have written the names of months, days, and holidays correctly.

Narrative Writing

Conventions When you write a **friendly** letter, use different kinds of sentences to make it lively and interesting.

Ned drafted a letter about a special meal he had. Then he added a question.

Revised Draft

Then we tasted all the food. Can you guess my favorite? The apple pie was best of all!

Writing Checklist



Did I tell about events in order?

M Did I use capital letters and commas correctly?



Read Togethe Look for different kinds of sentences in Ned's final copy. Then revise your writing. Use the Checklist.







March 8, 2018

Dear Mario,

My school had a potluck supper. First, each class cooked something. Then we tasted all the food. Can you guess my favorite? The apple pie was best of all!

Your friend,

Ned