



# Fun Fruit Facts

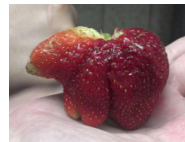


In Japan it's possible to buy **watermelons** shaped like pyramids.

The longest unbroken **apple** peel was as long as an Olympic-sized pool.



**Applesauce** was the first food eaten in space by an American astronaut.



A woman in Florida, USA found a **strawberry** shaped like a grizzly bear.



**Strawberries** have more Vitamin C than oranges.

Northern Spy, Wealthy, and Twenty Ounce are all types of **apples**.



The shiniest living thing on Earth is an African fruit known as **pollia condensata**.



**Kiwi** fruits were originally called "melonettes".



Wild **strawberries** can be yellow.

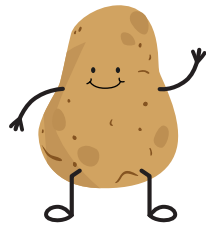
Eight college football players competed against two Asian elephants in a **watermelon** eating contest...and lost.



An **avocado** is sometimes known as an alligator pear.



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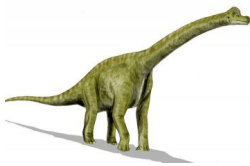


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The world's heaviest **onion** weighed more than a man's head.

Astronauts have grown **potatoes** on the space shuttle.



The largest dinosaurs were **vegetarians**.

The juice of one type of **chili pepper** can burn through a latex glove.



A woman in Sweden found her wedding ring on a **carrot** growing in her garden 16 years after misplacing it.

420 million years ago, **mushrooms** grew taller than giraffes.



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Some honeybee queens quack.

Popcorn can pop up to three feet into the air.



Perfectly preserved honey has been found in ancient Egyptian tombs.

Peanut butter can be converted into a diamond.

Honeybees can be trained to detect explosives.

Honey never spoils.

You spend about an hour of your day chewing.



You can fry an egg on a hot sidewalk when it reaches 158°F.

Baked caterpillars taste like pistachios (don't try this at home).



The largest pumpkin pie weighed 2,020 pounds.

20% of the food we eat is used to fuel the brain.



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