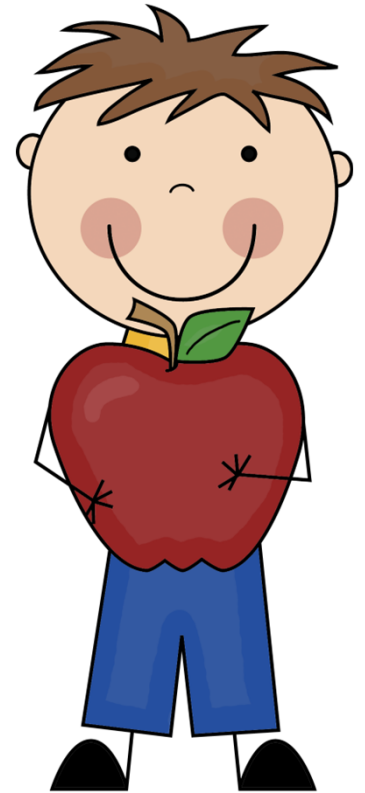


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# My Favorite Fruit

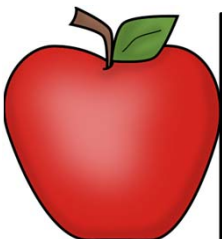


Apples are one of my favorite fruits! Apples come in many colors like red, green, and yellow. They are so tasty and juicy. I love to eat them as a snack or add them to my lunchbox for school. Apples are also very healthy for me. They have lots of vitamins and fiber which help my body stay strong and healthy. I like to eat the skin too

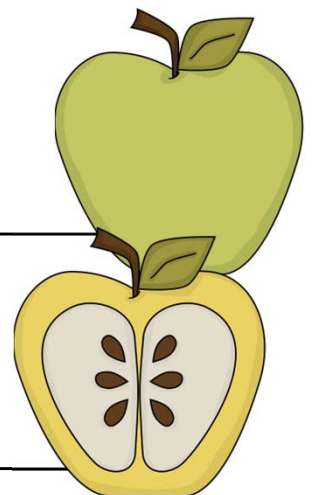
because that's where most of the goodness of apples are found.

Sometimes my family and I go apple picking at a farm. We get to walk through the orchard and pick our own apples right off the trees. It's so much fun! We bring them home and make yummy treats like apple pie and applesauce. Did you know that there are many different types of apples?

Some are sweet, while others are more sour. I like to try different kinds to see which one is my favorite. But no matter which kind of apple I eat, I always love it!



1. Read the passage about 'My Favorite Fruit'
2. Underline each word that you could not read.
3. Circle each word that took you more than 1 try.
4. Answer the follow up questions.



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Answer according to the reading passage:

- 1. What 3 colors do apples come in?**
  - a. red, brown, orange
  - b. yellow, purple, orange
  - c. red, green, yellow
  
- 2. Apples are healthy because they have:**
  - a. juice and peels
  - b. vitamins and fibre
  - c. super powers
  
- 3. Why should you eat the skin on apples?**
  - a. makes your bones strong
  - b. keeps your teeth healthy
  - c. most of the goodness is found in the skin
  
- 4. Where does the family go to pick apples?**
  - a. farm
  - b. town
  - c. village
  
- 5. What does the family make with the apples they pick and bring home?**
  - a. apple pie and applesauce
  - b. apple muffins and cakes
  - c. candy apples and cookies

# My Favorite Fruit

## Open Response Questions

### Open Response Questions for Thinking Skills:

1. *Inferring*
2. *Making Connections*
3. *Summarizing*
4. *Visualizing*

1. Why are apples the favorite fruit?
2. Compare how you like apples with the person in the story.
3. In two sentences summarize what this reading passage is all about.
4. What images went through your mind as you read 'My Favorite Fruit'.
  - Could this story be true? Why or why not?
  - What is your favorite fruit and why?
  - Use 3 words to describe how an apples tastes to you.
  - How many different types of apples do you know about?
  - What are all the things you can make with apples?
  - Why are apples good for you?
  - Write a similar story about your favorite fruit.