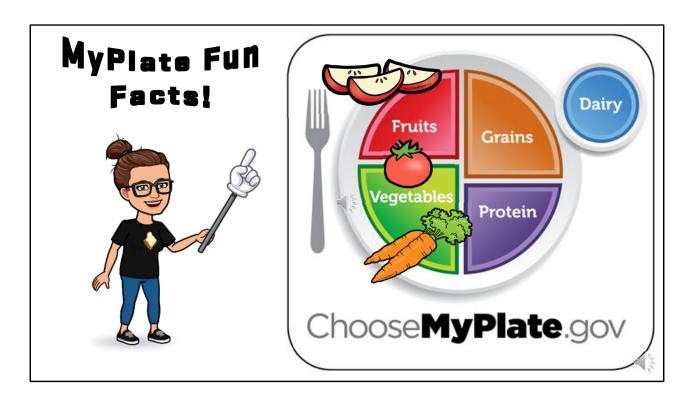


Hello Students! Welcome to the Oregon Grown classroom with Mrs. Paolina. Here we get learn all about Oregon grown foods and healthy ways we can eat them!



Are you ready for MYPLATE FUN FACTS!

All the different parts of the plant we eat are fruits and vegetables. So, how do you tell the difference? Fruits are the fruit part of the plant and carry seeds. Vegetables are all other parts of the plant, like roots, stems, leaves and flowers that do not carry seeds. For example, Apples are the fruit of a plant and carry seeds, so they belong to the fruit group. Carrots are the root part of a plant and do not carry seeds, so they belong in the vegetable group.

What about tomatoes! They have seeds but most people call them a vegetables. It depends on who you are talking to, a chef will call a tomato a vegetable, but a plant scientist (also called a botanist) will call it a fruit because it carries seeds and is the fruit part of a plant! So, I always just put them in the middle so it can belong to both groups. Now fruits and vegetable play a very important role in our health. They help our body in all its different functions and they are rich in fiber. Fiber is important in heart health and our intestines. `



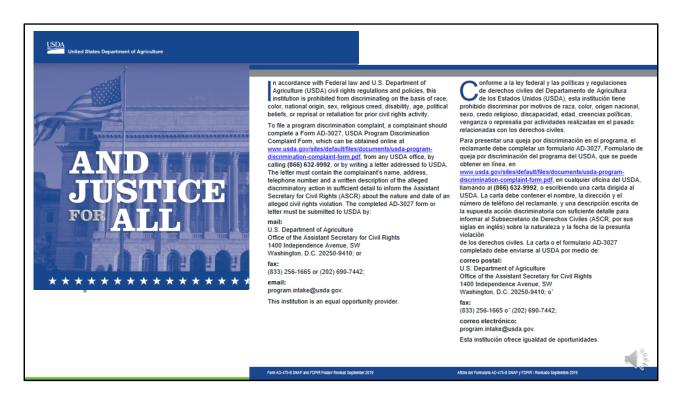
Don't forget our FARMER FUN FACT!!!

Oregon farmers, ranchers, and fisherman produce more than **225** crops and livestock, making Oregon one of the most diverse agricultural states in the nation.

Farmers are important people in our lives. Without them we would not have all things we use and eat every day! GO FARMERS!

See you next time!

Well students, that is the end of our lesson today. Thank you for learning with me in our online Oregon Grown classroom! See you next time!



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