

On average, Americans eat how many pounds of apples per year?



18



About how many years does it take  
for a tree grown from a seed to  
produce an apple?



15



How many states grow apples to sell, including Illinois?



36



# What is the Illinois State Fruit?



GoldRush Apple



What is the name of the apple that is golden to light yellow-green and keeps its shape and flavor during baking?



Golden Delicious Apple



What year was John Chapman born?



1774



When was the apple brought to the United States?



1620



What appears on apple trees in the spring, usually white or pale pink?



Apple Blossoms





What is the edible part of a plant developed from a flower?



The Fruit



What is the green part of the plant that helps collect sunlight and nutrients for the plant?



The Leaf

