

## **Vegetables**

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***Cabbage Moon.*** Chadwick, Tim. New York : Orchard Books, 1994.

Albert the rabbit doesn't like cabbage until he finds out what the moon is really made of. Fiction. Early readers. (J) SB331 .C346 1994

***The Popcorn Book.*** De Paola, Tomie. New York : Holiday House, c1978.

Cleverly presents a variety of facts about popcorn and includes two recipes. Nonfiction. Early readers. (J)SB191.M2 D44 1978

***The Vegetables We Eat.*** Gibbons, Gail. New York : Holiday House, c2007.

Colorful illustrations and simple text describe the various vegetables people eat. Early readers. Nonfiction. (J)SB321 .G352 2007

***Luck With Potatoes.*** Kettelman, Helen. New York : Orchard Books, c1995.

Hardscrabble Tennessee farmer Clemmon Hardigree's bad luck changes when he plants potatoes in Cow Hollow after his fat mountain cows cause the pasture to collapse. Early readers. Fiction. (J)SB211.P8 K511 1995

***Kate and the Beanstalk.*** Osborne, Mary Pope. New York: Atheneum, c2000.

In this version of the classic tale, a girl climbs to the top of a giant beanstalk, where she uses her quick wits to outsmart a giant and make her and her mother's fortune. Early readers. Fiction. (J)SB327 .Os1 2000

***The Enormous Turnip.*** Parkinson, Kathy. Morton Grove, IL. Albert Whitman, c1986.

One of Grandfather's turnips grows to such an enormous size that it takes the whole family and a host of animals to harvest it. Early readers. Fiction. j SB211.T8 P229 1998

***Mrs. Peanuckle's Vegetable Alphabet.*** Peanuckle, Mrs. New York, NY : Rodale Kids, 2017.

Introduces babies and toddlers to a colorful variety of vegetables, from asparagus to zucchini. Board book. Pre-readers. (J) SB321 .P42 2017

***The Giant Carrot.*** Peck, Jan. New York: Dial Books for Young Readers, c1998.

The Turnip, sweet Little Isabelle surprises her family with her unique way of helping a carrot seed grow and of getting the huge vegetable from the ground. Includes a recipe for carrot pudding. Early readers. Fiction. j SB351.2 P335 1998

***Corn.*** Robson, Pam. London; New York: Children's Press, 1998.

Introduces corn from its source on the farm to the table including planting, harvesting, and the manufacture of food products made from corn.

Early readers. Nonfiction. (J)SB191.M2 R576 1998

***The Legend of Food Mountain/La Montaña del Alimento.*** Rohmer, Harriet.

San Francisco, CA: Children's Book Press/Imprenta de Libros Infantiles, 1988.

This legend of ancient Mexico tells how the Gods and Goddesses discovered that corn could feed people. Pre-readers. Spanish language. Fiction. (J)SB108.4.Me8 R636 1982

***Rah, Rah, Radishes! A Vegetable Chant.*** Sayre, April Pulley. New York : Little Simon, 2014.

Photographs of vegetables and rhyming text celebrate vegetables in all their colorful and tasty variety. Board book. Pre-readers. (J)SB321 .Sa99 2014

***Tops & Bottoms.*** Stevens, Janet. San Diego : Harcourt Brace, c1995.

Hare turns his bad luck around by striking a clever deal with the rich and lazy bear down the road in this story about the edible parts of vegetables. Early readers. Fiction. (J)SB321 .St47 1995

***Watercress.*** Wang, Andrea. New York : Holiday House, 2021.

Embarrassed about gathering watercress from a roadside ditch, a girl learns to appreciate her Chinese heritage after learning why the plant is so important to her parents. Fiction.

Early readers. (J) SB351.L6 W36 2021

***Too Many Pumpkins.*** White, Linda. New York : Holiday House, c1996.

An old woman who has disliked pumpkins ever since she was a girl and her family had nothing else to eat finds herself with a full crop of them. Fiction. Early readers. (J) SB347 .W584 1996

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