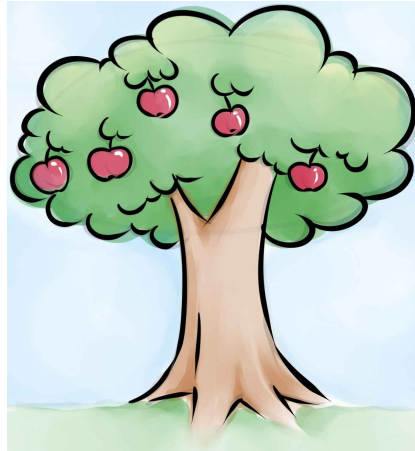


Where did that fruit come from?



Theme: Gardening

Curriculum Area: Science

Activity: The children will learn about how plants grow. You can discuss water, the sun and photosynthesis.

Age of Children: 4-5 years of age

Materials Needed:

- Different types of fruit
- Seeds that correspond to the fruit
- Butter knives

Developmental Domains/ Objectives:

1. Develop an understanding of how plants grow from seeds.
2. Enhance their knowledge of the natural world.
3. They will learn to be responsible with their handwashing.

Procedure:

1. Have a discussion with the children about how plants grow.
2. Then show the children the seeds and fruit.
3. Ask them which seeds match which fruit.

4. After they have guessed, let them cut open different fruit with close supervision and help to uncover what seeds really belong to what fruit.
5. Have them wash their hands.