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GROW YOUR OWN POTATOES



Worksheet 22: Contrasting journeys

Cut out these facts about potatoes.

Decide if they are about potatoes in Manchester or Mumbai.

Arrange them in order on the grid, starting with growing and finishing with eating.

I am eaten here in spicy potato cakes (alsoo ki tikki) and potato curry.	People here can choose me from many healthy vegetables.
People here choose me because there aren't many other vegetables and I am filling and good for you	I can grow in most parts of this country as there is plenty of rain and it is not too hot.
Here I am usually bought in a supermarket and taken home by car or bus. There is water in the kitchen tap for washing and gas or electricity ready for cooking.	Here I am usually bought in a market and taken home on foot. Water for washing must be carried from a pump or well. For cooking, wood must be collected or fuel bought from the shop.
I can only grow in some parts of this country. Other areas are too hot or too dry.	I may have to travel over 600 miles from the farm to the city market. Even in a non-stop train this takes more than a day. In a bumpy truck it can take five days and I get battered and bruised on the way.
I am eaten here as chips, baked potatoes and in shepherd's pie.	I usually don't have to travel too far from the farm to the city supermarket. The roads are smooth so I arrive in good condition.

