

10 Fun Facts about Plants

1. An average size tree can provide enough wood to make 170,100 pencils.



2. Apple is 25% air, that is why it floats on water.



3. Strawberry is the only fruit that bears its seeds on the outside. The average strawberry has 200 seeds.



4. A sunflower looks like one large flower, but each head is composed of hundreds of tiny flowers called florets, which ripen to become the seeds.



5. A cluster of bananas is called a hand and consists of 10 to 20 bananas known as fingers.



6. The word pineapple comes from European explorers who thought the fruit combined the look of a pinecone with flesh like that of an apple.



7. Carrots were originally purple in colour.



8. Oak trees don't produce acorns until they are 50 years old.



9. The Elephant grass found in Africa is named so as it is 4.5 meters high and even elephants can hide in it.



10. Around 2000 different types of plants are used by humans to make food.

