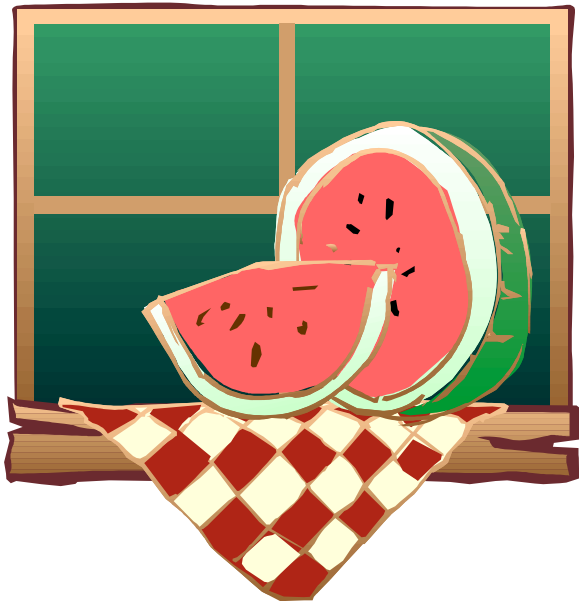


Watermelon



♥ Watermelons are an excellent source of vitamin C, potassium and Vitamin A.

Did you know?

- **Every part of a watermelon is edible, even the seeds and rind.**
- **Over 1,200 varieties are grown worldwide.**
- **Watermelon is grown in over 96 countries.**
- **Presidents George Washington and Thomas Jefferson grew watermelons in their gardens.**

In 1990, Bill Carson, of Arrington, Tennessee, grew the largest watermelon. It weighed in at 262 pounds!. That holds the record for 1998 according to the 1998 edition of the Guinness Book of World Records.

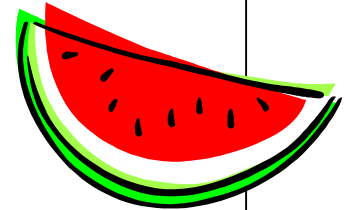
Take the WATERMELON Quiz

HISTORY:

What country is the world's main producer of watermelons?

Hint: You might be served a fortune cookie with your dessert.

Watermelon is thought to have originated in the Kalahari Desert of Africa



MATH:

A normal seedless watermelon can have up to 6 black watermelon seeds.

If you have 12 seedless watermelons and they each have only 4 black seeds, how many black seeds do you have in total from all your watermelons?

