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# WHO EATS ORANGE? 

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ANIMALS EAT A RAINBOW of different foods. Gorillas in the mountains eat green, octopuses in the ocean eat red, and toucans in the canopy eat purple. Animal enthusiasts will love digging into Dianne White and Robin Page's lively journey around the world to explore the colorful diets of many animals, from the familiar to the exotic.
"Eye-catching and lively question-and-answer format combine to introduce different animals and the colorful foods they eat.... The spare, anticipatory text will have lots of appeal for kids, especially in concert with the bold, brightly colored collage-like digital illustrations." - Booklist
"This would be a welcome addition to lessons on colors, nutrition, and the animal kingdom and it also provides a launchpad for additional discussion and research." -School Library Journal

## Who Eats Green?

Giraffes in savannas do. You can be a giraffe, too!
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Pretend you are one of the animals in Who Eats Orange? Are you a fox living in the forest, feasting on yellow crab apples? Or a carpenter bee sipping nectar from a purple passionflower? Write a poem about life from that animal's
perspective. Your poem should reveal what that animal thinks and feels and what it remembers, hopes, and dreams. Your poem is a chance for that animal to tell us something. What is it saying?


## A Rainbow Recipe You can eat a rainbow!

## Rainbow Skewers

## INGREDIENTS

Raspberries Strawberries Cantaloupe Mango

Pineapple Kiwi
Blueberries
Purple grapes


Wash your fruit. With an adult's help, hull the strawberries, peel and slice the kiwi, and cut the mango, pineapple, and cantaloupe into cubes. Arrange one piece of fruit on your skewer in the following order: raspberry, strawberry, cantaloupe, mango, pineapple, kiwi, blueberry, grape

ENJOY!

## RELATED GROUP ACTIVITIES



After the children eat their rainbow skewers, poll them on their favorite fruits/colors. Who liked the blue fruit best? Purple? And so on. Compare the results. Which fruit/color was chosen more? Which was chosen less?

Try graphing the results of your poll in different ways, such as a "real" graph, a picture graph, a bar graph, or a tally chart.

You may want to serve a rainbow of juices, vegetable rainbow skewers, or even a rainbow smoothie, combining fresh fruits and vegetables of all colors in a blender.

Sort and classify! Cut images of fruits and vegetables from grocery ads. How many different ways can you sort? (e.g., color, size, shape, flavor-sweet, sour, etc.)

## Who Eats Yellow?

Raccoons in the fields do. You can be a raccoon, too!
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# Describe Me 

Write a descriptive sentence about each of the animals pictured below.


## EXAMPLE:

The colorful toucan uses its long bill to gobble berries in the rainforest canopy.
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