



# Halloween: How did we fall in love with pumpkin?

Based on video by BBC:

[https://youtu.be/e\\_WMcAfAR-4](https://youtu.be/e_WMcAfAR-4)

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again and complete  
the sentences below

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- 3.In the Middle Ages people used to carve other root vegetables such as a \_\_\_\_\_ to make a lantern.
- 4.\_\_\_\_\_ migration took these Halloween traditions to North America.
- 5.According to Professor Cindy Ott pumpkin represents the idea of a small family \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.Popularity of pumpkins gives a huge \_\_\_\_\_ for farmers' business
- 7.In England people who do office jobs still like to think of themselves as farmers at \_\_\_\_\_

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*heart, British, turnip, British isles, coffee, lantern, farm, benefit, vegetable, Middle ages, Irish, beetroot*

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3. In the Middle Ages people used to carve other root vegetables such as a turnip/beetroot to make a lantern.
4. Irish/Scottish migration took these Halloween traditions to North America.
5. According to Professor Cindy Ott pumpkin represents the idea of a small family farm/business.
6. Popularity of pumpkins gives a huge benefit/boost for farmers' business.
7. In England people who do office jobs still like to think of themselves as farmers at heart/soul.



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