**Plant Unit**

Lesson 3

Read Eating the Alphabet by Lois Elhert on youtube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D7BdF3F8f-o>

While reading/watching this book **with** your child, help them keep track of the different fruits and vegetables they recognize. Ask them to draw or write (let them sound out the names – think first/last letters with 1-2 ‘inside’ letters) some of the names of the fruits and vegies they see on the pages. We eat a variety of edible parts of plants: Flowers – broccoli, cauliflower

Fruits – tomatoes, peppers, squash

Stems – asparagus, celery

Seeds – corn, peas, nuts, berries

Leaves – cabbage, spinach, lettuce

Roots – carrots, radishes, beets

Lesson 4

Watch <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DTK-uWx_VQo>.

Make a journal using 2-3 pieces of paper. Fold paper in half to make a blank book. Your student will create a decorative title page – make sure they give themselves credit as the author and illustrator. Pages should be labeled 1-7, daily write the month/day/year. On the first day, your student will draw a picture of the fruits and vegetables they eat during that particular day and write sentences or label the picture (Ex. Today at breakfast I had orange juice. At lunch I ate an apple. I ate green beans at dinner.) Continue adding on new pages each day – you may want to watch the youtube daily as review. Have your student read the book the book to you daily from the beginning!