



## 10 Minute Learning Activity

**Database:** Searchasaurus

**Topic/Subject Area:** Apples

**Grade Level:** Grade 3

**Essential Question:** What are the top five (5) apple growing states in the United States?

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**Academic Content Standards:** K-12 English Language Arts

**Standard:** Reading Process: Concepts of Print, Comprehension Strategies and Self-Monitoring Strategies-Grade 3

**Benchmark:** E. Demonstrate comprehension by responding to questions (e.g., literal, informational, and evaluative).

**Grade Level Indicator:** Reading Process: Concepts of Print, Comprehension Strategies and Self-Monitoring Strategies. 7. Answer literal, inferential, and evaluative questions to demonstrate comprehension of grade-appropriate print texts and electronic and visual media.

### Search Steps:

1. Go to [www.infohio.org](http://www.infohio.org).
2. Select *Resources for Grades K-5*.
3. Choose *Searchasaurus*.
4. Enter username and password, if prompted.
5. On the *Searchasaurus* map, select *Primary Search*.
6. Type the word *apples* in the search box.
7. Select *Search*.
8. Your search results will contain a number of articles at various reading levels on apples.
9. Select the two blue arrows beside the word *pages* on the top of the page to see additional pages.

10. Select the article *Top 5 Apple Growing States*.
11. Scroll down this page to read the full article on the screen, or print a copy of the article, in order to answer the essential question.

**Additional Comments on Search Process:**

- There is a link that you can use to e-mail this page.
- There is a link to help you find more articles like this one.