

Corn Scavenger Hunt

Illinois farmers grow lots of corn each year - it's our #1 crop!

Where do all of those corn kernels go after harvest? You may have some in your house!

See if you can find any of these items:

In the Kitchen

___ Corn Flakes

___ Ranch dressing

___ Corn chips or Tortilla chips

___ White Vinegar

___ Ketchup

___ Corn Oil

___ Mayonnaise

___ Ice Cream

___ Cake Mix

___ Baking Powder

___ Soda

___ Cornstarch

Surprised these things are made with corn? Look on the label - possible ingredient names could include corn flour, cornstarch, corn oil, corn syrup, dextrin, maltodextrin, dextrose or fructose

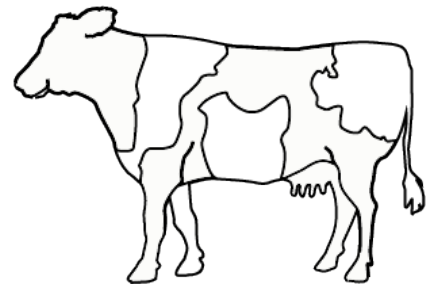
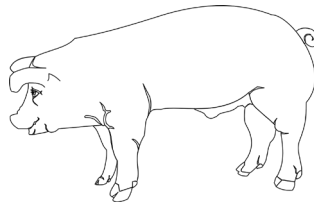
In the Fridge or Freezer

___ Chicken

___ Pork

___ Beef

___ Dairy

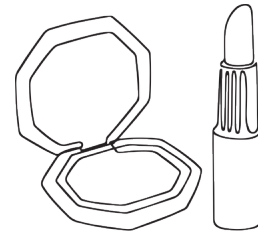


Corn provides feed for chickens, pigs & cattle!



Around the House:

- ___ Hand Sanitizer (may be made from ethanol)
- ___ Toothpaste (the ingredient sorbitol is made from corn)
- ___ Make-up (common ingredient zeaxanthin is made from corn)
- ___ Diapers (many brands use corn starch to absorb wetness)
- ___ Envelopes (the glue is made from corn)



Outside:

Be sure to take an adult with you or check before you venture out.

- ___ Gas (most fuel contains at least 10% ethanol made from corn)
- ___ Rubber Tires (corn starch used in manufacturing process)

Online:

Do some research to find out which of these products can be made using corn:

Yes No Cardboard boxes

Yes No Plastic

Yes No Stuffing for pillows & comforters

Yes No Medications