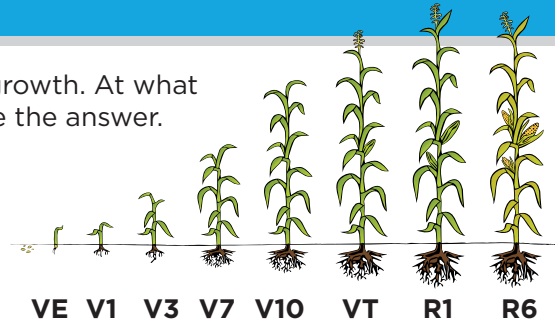


Corn EMERGING AGGIES

7-9 YEARS OLD



1 This chart show the stages of corn growth. At what stage is the corn in the photo? Circle the answer.



2 There are many things that live in the soil. Some things harm corn plants and other things help corn grow. Which of these organisms do you think are beneficial (helpful) to corn? _____

3 A combine harvests corn from the field. It got its name because it combined two tasks - picking the ears of the corn and shelling the kernels off the ear. Find the image of the combine with the "head" - or front part - that is used on corn. _____

4 The machines used to plant corn seed are designed to plant every seed an exact distance from the next seed. How many inches apart were these seeds planted?

Answers: 1) R1 2) Earthworms, fungi 3) A 4) 5 inches