

# Pumpkin Fun Facts



PUMPKINS WERE ONCE RECOMMENDED FOR REMOVING FRECKLES AND CURING SNAKE BITES.



Pumpkins are 90% water.

Pumpkins contain potassium & Vitamin A.

IN EARLY COLONIAL TIMES, PUMPKINS WERE USED AS AN INGREDIENT FOR THE CRUST OF PIES, NOT THE FILLING.



PUMPKIN FLOWERS ARE EDIBLE.

THE LARGEST PUMPKIN EVER GROWN WEIGHED 2624 POUNDS.

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IS A PUMPKIN REALLY A SQUASH?  
**IT IS!** IT'S A MEMBER OF THE CUCURBITA FAMILY WHICH INCLUDES SQUASH AND CUCUMBERS.

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