Plant Life Cycles:

Apple Life Cycle
Apple Growth Cycle

To a plant, fruit is all about protecting the important seeds. Aren’t you glad fruit tastes good too?

In the spring, new bud growth occurs on the branches of the tree. Soon, beautiful blossoms appear and attract bees. As they travel from blossom to blossom, they carry pollen. The blossoms drop and the fruit begins to ripen and grow. In late summer or fall, harvest time comes. When winter approaches, the tree drops its leaves.

Cut out the eight blocks showing the growth cycle of an apple. Once you are sure you have them in order, glue them to the blocks on the following page.

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Aren’t you glad New York has so many apple trees?

Apples are just one of the fruits raised in New York agriculture.

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Thanks!