

# POTATOES

Read the text and choose the correct word for each blank.

The first potatoes did not look (0) \_\_\_\_\_ the ones we eat today. They were smaller and harder. People first grew (1) \_\_\_\_\_ vegetables many years ago. At first, not many people ate (2) \_\_\_\_\_. Some thought potatoes (3) \_\_\_\_\_ make them ill and that they were too dangerous to eat.

After many years, people all over the world (4) \_\_\_\_\_ them. They were easy to (5) \_\_\_\_\_ and they were not expensive like other food.

Then one year (6) \_\_\_\_\_ terrible happened. There was not (7) \_\_\_\_\_ rain and the potatoes could not grow. People had nothing to eat and (8) \_\_\_\_\_ people were very hungry.

Today, you can see potatoes everywhere. You (9) \_\_\_\_\_ buy them in supermarkets or grow them in your garden, if you have one. Everyone eats them but young people over potato chips (10) \_\_\_\_\_.

