THE MAGNIFICIENT CARROT

You will hear part of a talk by a biologist called Jonas Hahn about carrots. For questions 1–10, complete the sentences with a word or short phrase.

The carrot is the (1) _____ most popular vegetable in the world.

Nowadays, (2) _____ produces more carrots than any other country.

Carrots were first grown (3) _____ ago, in Afghanistan.

Thousands of years ago, most cultivated carrots were (4) _____ not orange.

The carrot used to be regarded as (5) _____ rather than something to eat.

Dutch (6) _____ of the 16th century show orange carrots.

Carrots grown in (7) _____ soil are less bright in colour.

Jonas says that carrots are better for you if you (8)_____ them.

Eating carrots can help prevent the (9) _____ harming you.

In ten years' time, it may be possible to use carrots as (10) _____.



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