

This week find out about food.

a Well, a lot of people think that these vegetables have a different taste but they don't. The problem is their smell. You don't believe it, eh? Try this test then. Pinch your nose and eat them with your eyes closed.

b It depends. Are you a scientist or a cook? Scientists say it is a fruit but cooks usually call it a vegetable. You see, the tomato isn't sweet like fruit.

c No, some are dangerous, so be careful. Others are tasty and healthy. The Matsutake mushroom is delicious but it's quite expensive. Some people in Japan pay \$2000 for a kilogram.

d Well, at the supermarket we usually find orange carrots. But not all carrots are orange. There can be other colours too: purple, white, yellow... Strange, huh?

e The average person eats about 682 kg of food a year. Most people eat about 68 kg of beef, 16 kg of eggs, 22 kg of chicken, 31 kg of bread, 57 kg of potatoes, 36 kg of fruit and drink about 132 lt of milk. Are you hungry?