Pumpkin Life Cycle Worksheet

Name: _____ Date: _____

1. Put the stages in order

Write 1, 2, 3... in the boxes to show the order of the pumpkin life cycle.

☐	**Ripe pumpkin** – The pumpkin turns orange, full of seeds for next year.
☐	**Flowering** – Yellow flowers open, and bees carry pollen between them.
☐	**Seed** – A flat pumpkin seed is planted in warm soil.
☐	**Sprout** – The seed germinates and two seed leaves pop up.
☐	**Vine** – The plant grows long, twisting vines with big leaves.
☐	**Green pumpkin** – A small green pumpkin grows behind each pollinated flower.

2. Match the word to its meaning

Write the letter next to each word.

1. germinate	A. when a seed starts to sprout and grow
2. pollination	B. a long, bendy stem that spreads along the ground
3. vine	C. moving pollen so a flower can make seeds

3. Draw and label

Draw your favourite stage of the pumpkin life cycle and label it.

4. Explain

What happens between the first and last stage?

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Answer key

Correct order

Seed → Sprout → Vine → Flowering → Green pumpkin → Ripe pumpkin

Word match

1–A, 2–C, 3–B

Try this activity

Scoop out a pumpkin and count the seeds in groups of ten. Wash and dry some to plant in cups, and estimate how many pumpkins could grow from one pumpkin.

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