

THE CYCLES of CORN: A Web Trek for Grades 2-3

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A. INTRODUCTION

Use the URL below to access a website and learn more about the corn plant. Then continue on to Part B, Student Questions. Use only the web site listed, and answer your questions using complete sentences.

B. ONLINE RESOURCE: The Cycle of Corn:
<http://www.nebraskacorn.org/the-cycle-of-corn/>

C. STUDENT QUESTIONS:

1. The opening of this website tells a story about the Evans Family. How would you say their style of farming has changed over the years? Consider what the children today do.

2. What other things, besides the method of farming, have changed on this farm? Think about the amount of land for each generation, the amount of animals they had, how they harvested, and what they did with their corn.

3. How is farming different from other businesses?

4. Describe the growth cycle of the corn plant throughout the seasons.

5. What do you like most about this story of corn, and the family who grows it?

