## Bananas: An Origin Story

Bananas may seem pretty basic, but this fruit is as delicious as it is healthy - it's bananas!

> Where in the world are bananas grown?

> > Republic of the Phillipines

People's Republic of China

Wherever bananas are grown, tools like pesticides are needed to fight disease, fungus and pests.



Banana Root Borer



Black Sigatoka Disease



Republic of India

Bunchy Top

Regardless of where they're grown, bananas are delicious, nutritious and, dare we say, interesting!

## Did you know...

Bananas contain around 75% water.
Wild bananas grow with large, hard seeds
Fibre taken from banana plants can be used to make clothes.
Banana plants are not trees, they are a type of herb.

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