

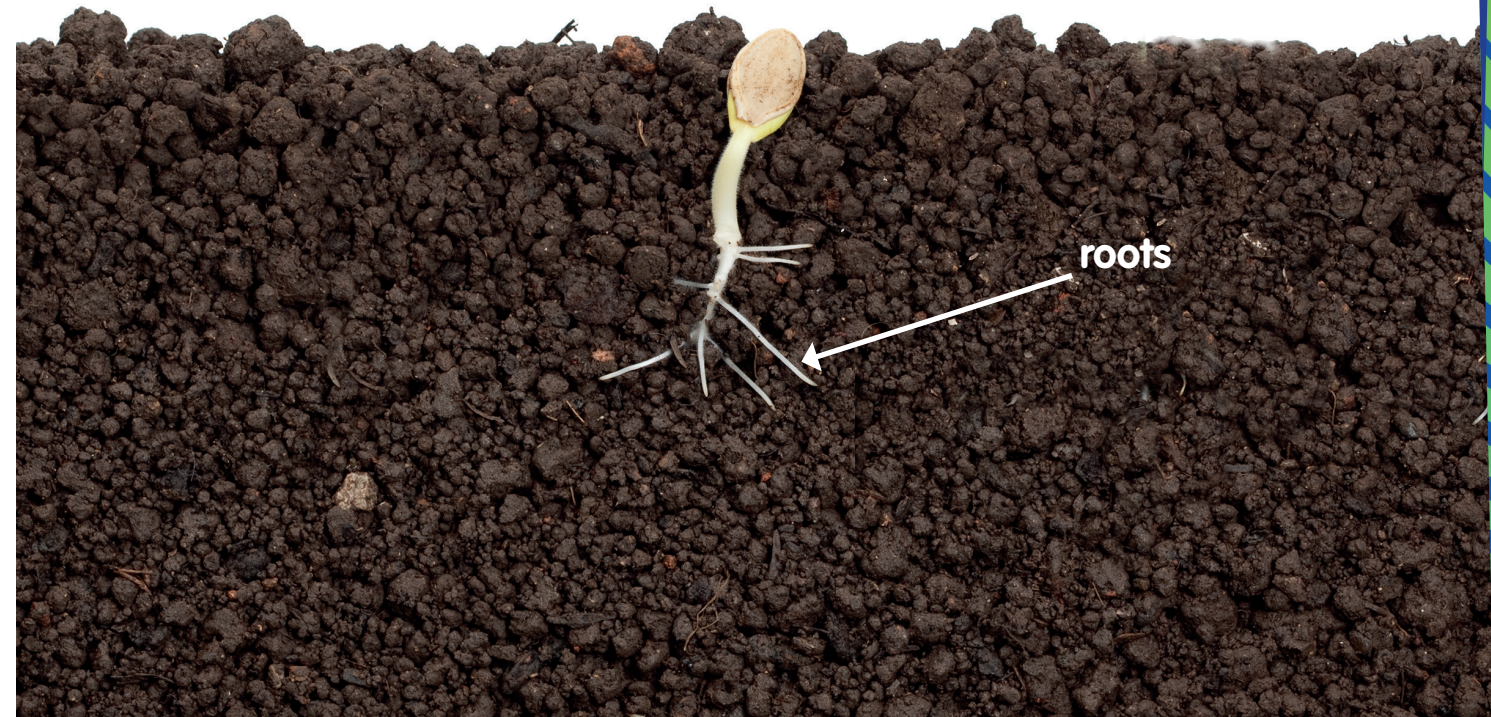
Start with a Seed

A pumpkin begins its life cycle as a seed. First, the seed is placed in the ground and covered with soil.



Pumpkin seeds are planted in rows or on small hills.

Soon, the pumpkin seed opens. Roots grow down into the soil.



Roots take in water from the soil.