Vocabulary text

Irish are famous for their potato growing. The land's soil and temperature cause the potatoes to grow very well. However, during the famine from 1845 until 1850 the potatoes all spoiled because they got infected with a fungus. This caused the potatoes to rot on the inside. The Irish were so dependant on potatoes as their main food resource to eat that this caused the famine in the whole Irish lands.

Words to learn and search for meaning:

Potato - Potatoes

Soil

Food

Eat

Famine

Fungus

Spoil - Spoiled

Dependant

Grow - Growing