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## Solutions

### Worksheet 1

#### Questions

1. What does the word *still life* make you think of?

*Accept all answers*

2. Look at the photos. What can you see? What do they symbolise?

*Accept all answers*

## Still Life



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## Worksheet 2

### Questions

Look at the pictures. Write the names of the fruit and vegetables.

		
<i>nuts</i>	<i>hazel nuts</i>	<i>mushrooms</i>
		
<i>turnips</i>	<i>strawberries</i>	<i>apples</i>
		
<i>cauliflower</i>	<i>chicory</i>	<i>Pears</i>
		
<i>chestnuts</i>	<i>carrots</i>	<i>onion</i>

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<i>garlic</i>	<i>horseradish</i>	<i>potatoes</i>
		
<i>green beans</i>	<i>broad beans</i>	<i>courgettes</i>

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## Worksheet 5

### Questions

Here are four names that could be given to this painting, but only one is correct. Find it and explain why you have chosen it. You could also suggest a new name.

Soup   A still life   **The Vegetable Gardener**   Vegetables

Find the names of the vegetables and fruit that have been used in this painting.

**onion, turnips, chicory, hazel nuts, chestnuts, mushrooms, garlic, horseradish**

## Worksheet 6

### Questions

1. Where can you find carrots? In the orchard, the garden or **the vegetable garden**.
2. Where can you find pears? In **the orchard**, the garden or the vegetable garden.
3. Where can you find flowers and ornamental plants? In the orchard, **the garden** or the vegetable garden.
4. Take turns to go to the IWB and label the vegetables and fruit in the painting. **Accept all answers**.
5. Do you know the name of the person who works in the vegetable garden, in the orchard and in the garden? Choose your answers from the words in the box.

*Vegetable garden – vegetable gardener*

*Orchard – farmer*

*Garden - gardener*

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## Worksheet 7

### Questions

1. Here's the same painting but now it's upside down. What does it show? *A man's head*
2. What name could you give to this painting? *Accept all answers*
3. What part of the body does Arcimboldo show? *The face*

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## Worksheet 8

### Questions

Take turns to go to the IWB and match each part of the face to a vegetable, fruit or object.

Hair	<i>chicory and other vegetables</i>
Right eye	<i>hazel nuts</i>
Left eye	<i>nuts and garlic</i>
Left cheek	<i>turnip</i>
Right cheek	<i>onion</i>
Nose	<i>horseradish</i>
Lips	<i>mushrooms</i>
Beard	<i>chicory</i>
Hat	<i>bowl</i>

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## **Worksheet 9**

### **Questions**

In pairs complete the biography of *The Vegetable Gardener*.

*Accept all answers*