

## FRESH FRUIT & VEGETABLE PROGRAM

NOV 5

Plum

**NOV 12** 



Papaya

**NOV 19** 

Pink Pineapple

**NOV 26** 

Heirloom Grape Tomatoes NOV 6

Yellow Peppers

**NOV 14** 

Carnival Cauliflower

**NOV 20** 

NEW

Sea Beans

Naturally salty, similar crunch as green beans

**NOV 27** 

Romanesco

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Minnieska Apple

**NOV 13** 

Black Grapes



**NOV 21** 

Golden Kiwi Wedges

**NOV 28** 

No School



## Nov 7: Minneiska Apples!

Also called SWEETANGO. Minneiska apples are a cross between Honeycrisp and Zestar apples. This newer apple variety was developed by the University of Minnesota and patented in 2008.

The Minneska apples you will get come from Westcott Orchards in Elgin, MN. The owner of Westcott Orchards also develops new apple varieties and is credited with Pazazz and Riverbelle apples.

## **Fun Facts**

- Pink pineapples are grown in Costa Rica and get their color from lycopene, a natural pigment that also gives tomatoes and watermelons their red color.
- Black grapes are much higher in antioxidants than green or red grapes. They can give you healthier hair and skin, improve your heart health, and even protect your cells against cancer.
- Colored cauliflower gets its color from cross-breeding with other plants. The addition of color adds phytochemicals, which have disease fighting and protective properties for your body.

