

# BERRIES



RUSSIAN

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SPANISH

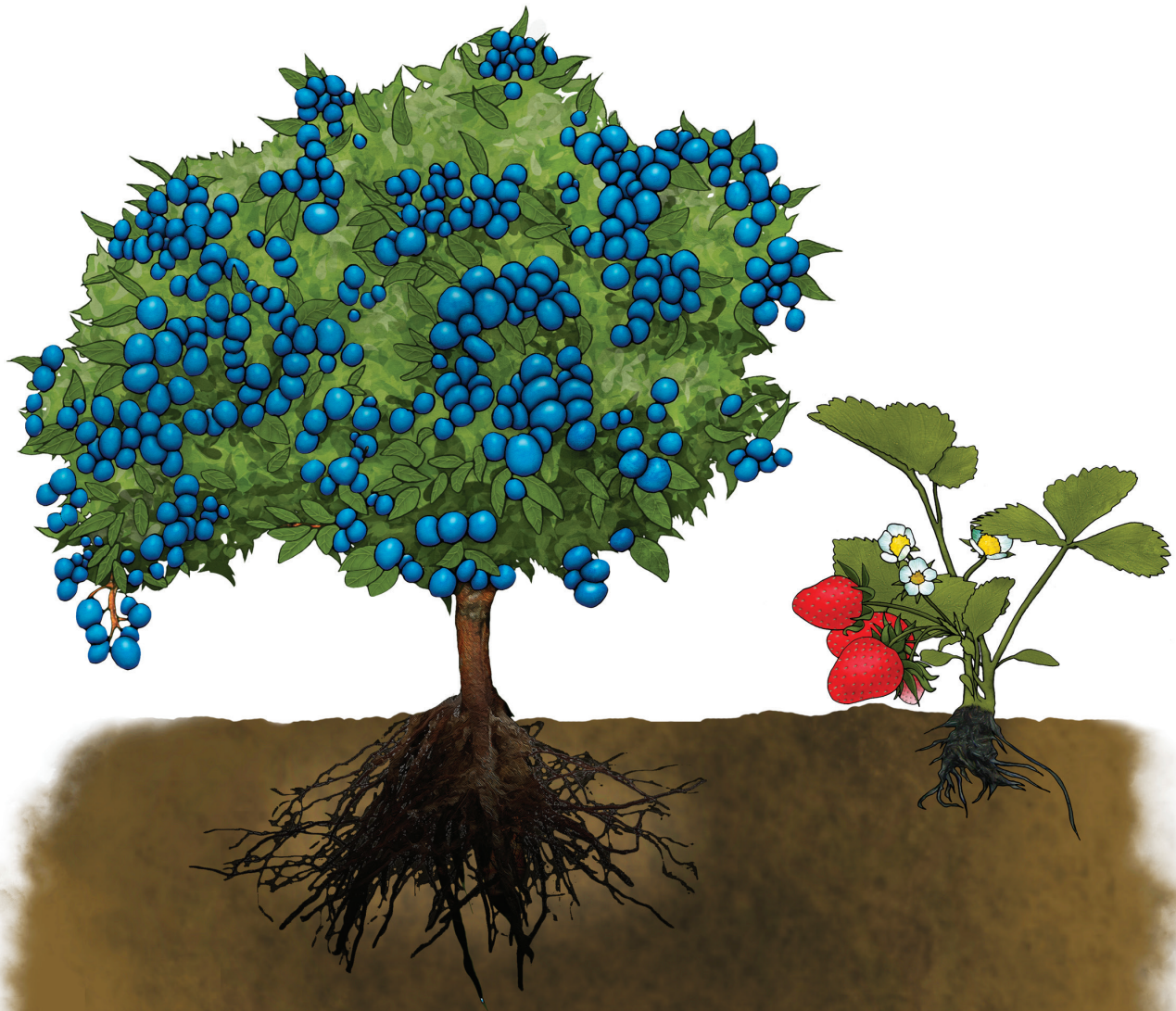
**Bayas or Berries**

VIETNAMESE

**Quả Beri**

Look at these tasty berries! Berries are fruits. Here are three kinds of berries: blackberries, raspberries, and blueberries. Who has tried berries? What kinds of berries have you tried? What did they taste like? Berries are sweet. Berries are delicious with oatmeal or in a bowl of cereal. We can also bake berries in a muffin. For a special treat, we can eat berry pie. We can also eat berries all on their own!

# How do **BERRIES** grow?



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Different kinds of berries grow in different ways. Strawberries grow close to the ground. They grow in patches of leaves off of long stems (point to illustration). Blueberries grow above the ground on bushes. Blackberries and raspberries grow above the ground on canes (point to canes). Some berries, like blackberries, have very sharp thorns. We have to be careful when we pick them! When they are ripe, we pick berries from the patch on the ground, the bush, or the cane. Has anyone gone berry picking? Some berries that we see in the woods are not good to eat – it's important to ask an adult before you eat a berry!

What other fruits grow above the ground?



**SAME BUT DIFFERENT**  
**BERRIES**



**Blackberries**



**Blueberries**



**Cranberries**



**Raspberries**



**Strawberries**

There are many different kinds of berries. Here are five kinds (point to each one as you say the name):

1. Blackberries
2. Blueberries
3. Cranberries
4. Raspberries
5. Strawberries

You can grow different kinds of berries in your backyard or garden. Farmers can grow different kinds of berries on their farms, too. Sometimes berries grow wild in the woods, or even nearby your homes! Berries come in many different colors.

What colors do you see?

How are these berries the same?

How are these berries different?

Which berries are red?

Which berries are blue?





**Blackberries**







**Blueberries**





**Cranberries**



**Raspberries**





**Strawberries**







**Blueberries**