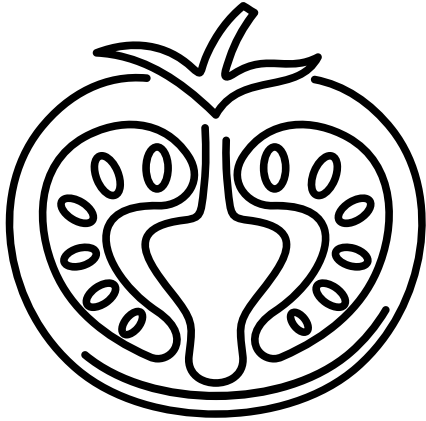


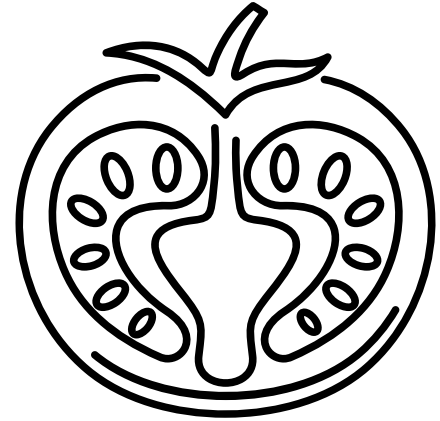
PARTS OF A TOMATO

Color each part of the tomato below. Then, cut open a tomato and compare what you see with the pictures below!



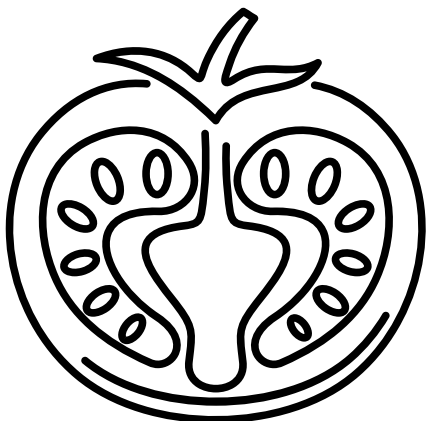
STEM

The stem attaches the fruit to the plant and helps the fruit get water and nutrients.



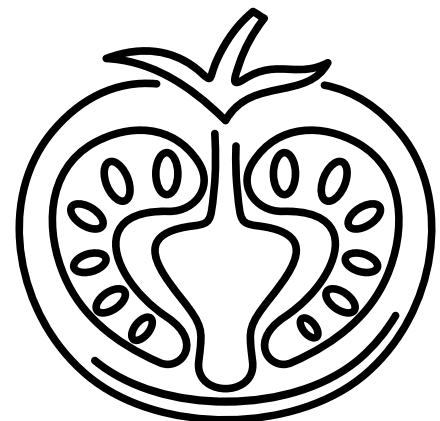
MESOCARP

The mesocarp is the "meaty" part of a tomato. It is sometimes called the flesh.



FUNICULUS

The funiculus protects and holds the seeds in place.



SEEDS

Seeds help the plant reproduce.