

## CCC Heep Woh College

### Life-wide learning day assignment

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### **Topic:** Genetically Modified Food



#### **Review:**

The above photo shows some examples of Genetically Modified Food (G.M. Food), such as corns, pumpkins and tomatoes. Nowadays, scientists can change the characteristics of the genes (DNA) of the organisms through biological technology. They may choose a specific genetic material from an organism and transfer it into another organism, to produce an organism that is "genetically modified".

The biological technology has been applying for food production since the 1990s. In 1994, the first G.M. Food product, FlavrSavr Tomato, was sold in the USA, where is the important place for producing G.M. Food, especially farm products.

Certainly, this production method can increase the amount of crops. However, it seriously disturbs the ecological balance or even leads to the production of some food that is mistakenly genetically modified.