## Here is our 2018 Season estimated schedule.

The list below identifies the ripening order for our apple varieties. Use this list to help choose apple varieties which are ready to pick at different times throughout the season. The harvest dates listed here are approximate for northern Illinois and are dependent upon weather conditions. Please give us a call at 815-648-4141 before coming to pick your favorite variety. Even though our picking schedule is updated regularly during the harvest season, our picking schedule can change from hour to hour due to weather conditions and the number of visitors we have for U-Pick each day!

	VARIETY				
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Apple Variety	Approx. Pick Date*	Flavor	Best Use	Availability
<u>Pristine</u>	August 8	Sweet	Eat/Bake/Sauce	Pre-Picked Only
Red Free	August 17	Sweet	Eat/Salad/Sauce	U-Pick & Pre-Picked
Zestar	August 24	Sweet/Tart	Eat/Bake/Salad/Dry	U-Pick & Pre-Picked
Sansa	August 31	Sweet	Eat/Salad/Sauce	Coming Soon
Ginger Gold	August 31	Sweet	Eat/Bake/Salad/Dry	Coming Soon
<u>Jonamac</u>	September 1	Tart	Eat/Bake/Sauce	Coming Soon
<u>Blondee</u>	September 1	Sweet/Spicy	Eat/Salad/Sauce	Coming Soon
Royal Gala	September 1	Sweet	Eat/Salad/Sauce/Dry	Coming Soon
Ozark Gold	September 14	Spicy/Sweet	Eat/Salad/Sauce	Coming Soon
Spurmac (McIntosh)	September 14	Spicy/Tart	Eat/Bake/Sauce	Coming Soon
Honeycrisp	September 15	Sweet	Eat/Salad/Sauce/Dry	Coming Soon
Senshu	September 15	Sweet	Eat/Salad/Dry	Coming Soon
Auvil Early Fuji®	September 28	Sweet	Eat/Salad/Sauce/Dry	Coming Soon
<u>Jonafree</u> (Jonathan)	September 21	Tart	Eat/Bake/Sauce	Coming Soon
Cortland	September 14	Tart	Eat/Bake/Sauce/Dry	Coming Soon
Sept. Wonder Fuji®	September 29	Sweet	Eat/Salad/Sauce/Dry	Coming Soon
Liberty	September 29	Tart	Eat/Bake/Sauce	Coming Soon
Royal Empire	September 29	Tart/Sweet	Eat/Bake/Sauce/Dry	Coming Soon
Red Delicious	September 29	Sweet	Eat/Bake/Sauce	Coming Soon
Snow Sweet <sup>®</sup>	October 6	Sweet	Eat/Salad/Sauce	Coming Soon
Regent	October 6	Sweet/Tart	Eat/Bake/Sauces	Coming Soon
<u>Jonagored</u>	October 6	Sweet/Tart	Eat/Bake/Sauce/Dry	Coming Soon
Ultra Gold	October 13	Sweet/Tart	Eat/Salad	Coming Soon
Red Rome	October 20	Tart	Eat/Bake/Sauce	Coming Soon
Suncrisp	October 20	Tart/Sweet	Eat/Bake/Salad	Coming Soon
Candy Crisp	October 21	Sweet	Eat/Bake/Salad	Coming Soon
Crispin (Mutsu)	October 21	Sweet	Eat/Bake/Sauces	Coming Soon
<u>Braeburn</u>	October 30	Tart/Sweet	Eat/Bake/Sauces	Coming Soon
Goldrush	October 21	Tart/Sweet	Eat/Bake/Salad/Dry	Coming Soon
Granny Smith	October 21	Tart	Eat/Bake/Salad/Dry	Coming Soon

<sup>\*</sup>All dates are approximate and could change by 5 to 7 days earlier or later than Approximate Pick Date.