

Apples considered suitable for Cumbria

Disease resistance Triploid

Flowering

Pick

Use (latest)

(need 2 pollinators) A B C D E F

Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr+

Dessert

Apple Variety	Disease resistance	Triploid	A	B	C	D	E	F	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr+	Description
Adams Pearmain					Flowering						Pick					Use		Good tasting long keeping disease resistant apple
Ashmead's Kernel	😊	!!!				Flowering					Pick						Use	Good aromatic flavour (if kept). Scab resistant. Also good in cider.
Discovery	😊				Flowering					Pick	Use							Widely available apple. Round and red –flushed. Much loved by organic growers. Raised in 1949. Blossom said to tolerate frost. Slow to crop.
Duke of Devonshire	😊				Flowering						Pick						Use	A green apple with some russet. Excellent flavour (if kept). It came from Holker Hall and was raised by the head gardener .
George Cave	😊				Flowering					Pick	Use							A red and green round- conical apple raised in Essex 1923. Crisp but fruit soon drops
Green Balsam					Flowering							Pick					Use	A plain green Yorkshire apple which came top in tasting trials at Sizergh apple day some years ago
Katya [Katy]	😊				Flowering						Pick	Use						An oval red flushed eating apple originally from Sweden. Available commercially. A hardy apple and a good pollinator.
Laxtons Epicure	😊				Flowering					Pick	Use							A round yellow and red striped early apple commercially available. Trees said to be hardy with some resistance to frost.
Laxtons Fortune	😊				Flowering						Pick	Use						A mid season apple raised in 1904
Lord Lambourne					Flowering												Use	A commercially available red green crisp apple raise in 1907 by the famous Laxton brothers and suitable for most of Cumbria
Norfolk Royal	😊					Flowering						Pick					Use	Grown at Appleby in Cumbria. A good scab free apple in 2007
Proctors seedling																		Recommended by Mr. Rainford of the Northern Fruit group. A round red striped apple much grown in north Lancashire.
Rankthorn																		A beautiful red striped apple in spite of its unpromising name. Local to Westmorland.
Red Devil	😊				Flowering						Pick						Use	A modern disease resistant red apple known to grow in the fells near Cartmel, Cumbria
Ribston Pippin	😊	!!!			Flowering							Pick					Use	Red striped apple raised from a seed brought from Rouen in France to Knaresborough Yorkshire in 1688. Highest content of vitamin c of any apple. Very good flavour. Parent of cox -orange pippin. A strong growing triploid variety.
St Edmunds pippin					Flowering						Pick	Use						Raised in 1870 The earliest russet and much better than Egremont russet in the North West.

Dual Purpose

Bradleys Beauty	😊	!!!																Found on the mosses at Witherslack by Mr Robert Bradley. Defies the wet conditions. An oval dual purpose apple and a very strong grower.
Charles Ross					Flowering						Pick						Use	Red striped apple, a bit bigger than most eaters.
Gravenstein	😊	!!!		Flowering							Pick						Use	A yellow striped oblong apple. Arrived in Denmark in 1669 and brought to London in 1819. Crisp with good flavour. A red sport exists. [Needs two pollinators in group A or B].
Scotch Bridget	😊	!!!			Flowering							Pick					Use	Conical, red green cooker with prominent ribs. The favourite in Cumbria and North Lancs. Very good keeper and in a warm season pleasant to eat. One of the finest flavour apples for juicing.

