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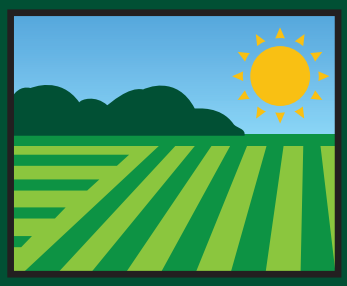

## Occupational Diversity

While most people think of farmers when they think about careers in agriculture, ***farmers make up less than 2% of agriculture jobs.***

Source: *Principles of Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources*

## Agriculture Job Openings

*projected 2022–2032 (in thousands)*

**880.6**
Farmers, ranchers, and other agricultural managers

**788.7**
Animal breeders

**454.3**
Animal care and service workers

**116.9**
Water and wastewater treatment plant and systems operators

**40.7**
Agricultural and food science technicians

Source: *Bureau of Labor Statistics*

## Annual Career Earnings

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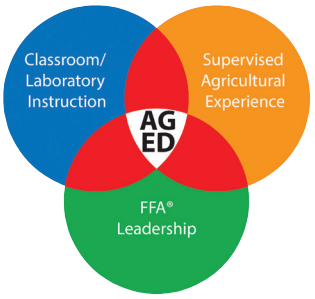
|---|---|
| Animal Care and Service Workers **$29,790** | Grounds Maintenance Workers **$36,160** |
| Agricultural and Food Science Technicians **$46,140** | Heavy Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Service Technicians **$58,350** |
| Agricultural and Food Scientists **$74,940** | Farmer, Rancher, and other Agricultural Managers **$75,760** |
| | Agricultural Engineers **$83,260** |

Source: *Bureau of Labor Statistics*

Studies have shown that people are **more likely to remember** something if they have a **hands-on learning experience.**

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**Eight Pathways in Agriculture Careers**

- Agribusiness Systems
- Animal Systems
- Biotechnology Systems
- Environmental Service Systems
- Food Products and Processing Systems
- Natural Resource Systems
- Plant Systems
- Power, Structural, and Technical Systems

Source: *Council for Agricultural Education*

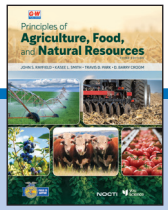
**American agriculture accounts for more than $1.264 trillion in sales annually.**

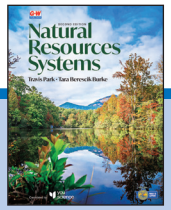
Source: *USDA*

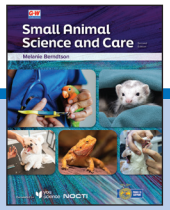
## Tips for a Job Interview

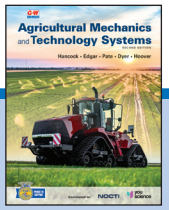
Source: *Principles of Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources*

# to CAREER



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