Agricultural Education in Oregon

Agricultural Education implements inquiry-based learning in the classroom and career exploration through work study and supervised agricultural experience programs. It develops leadership skills such as public speaking, teamwork, organization and civic service through the intracurricular implementation of FFA.

Students who participate in agricultural education programs graduate with the skills necessary to become productive citizens who will succeed in postsecondary education or the workforce.

**Secondary Education**
13,000 students in agriculture, food and natural resource courses
139 agriculture teachers
110 high school agricultural education programs
10 preservice agricultural education teachers
118 students enrolled per program on average

**Courses offered**
- Agribusiness Systems
- Animal Systems
- Environmental Service Systems
- Food Products & Processing Systems
- Natural Resource Systems
- Plant Systems
- Power, Structural and Technical Systems

**Postsecondary & Adult**

**Postsecondary Agriculture Programs**
8 four-year colleges and technical schools offering postsecondary agriculture courses
10 students enrolled in pre-service agriscience education certification

**Economic Impact of Agriculture**

Greenhouse and Nursery Products are the #1 commodity.
39% of Oregon farmers are women.
10.9% of all Oregon exports are agricultural.
$144.5 million commercial fish landings.
More than 100 farmers markets in the state.

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