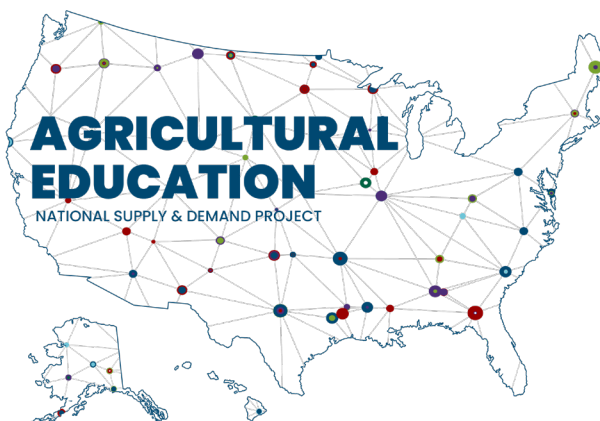


	2021*	2022*	2023*	2024*	2025	Nationwide*
Average Salary	\$38,502	\$44,841	\$48,016	\$47,568	\$51,633	\$48,168
Extended Contract Days	20	27	151	197.5	205	211
Ag Teachers	1891	2335	2359	2538	2524	15273
Ag Programs	958	1190	1178	1290	1312	9512
New Positions	75	106	118	91	82	353
New Programs	65	71	36	39	49	264
Retirements	27	28	27	36	32	165
Left Teaching	90	134	149	188	148	782
Alt Certified Hire	28	55	62	67	49	322
Non-Licensed Hire	2	12	31	48	30	175
Positions to Fill	153	209	239	245	208	996
Positions Lost	12	31	28	34	22	139
Unfilled Full-Time Positions	21	21	23	31	26	140
Unfilled Part-Time Positions	0	0	0	1	0	1
Ag Ed Graduates	96	140	135	135	136	747
Ag Ed Graduates Teaching	80	117	118	102	113	595
Ag Ed Major Enrollment	328	438	438	463	465	2745

**not all states and institutions reported.
46 states and 96 institutions reported in 2025.*



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National Agriculture Teacher Supply and Demand Highlights

- The national dataset reported the **highest recorded number of agricultural educators** at **15,273** and **9,512 agricultural education programs**.
- **96%** of agricultural educators **remained** in the profession. ***This percentage is calculated without the amount of retirement and those that are teaching agriculture out of state.*
- The number of reported new agricultural education programs **increased by 1%**, while the number of reported new positions **decreased by 1%**.
- Average reported teacher **compensation increased nationwide** to an average of \$48,168.
- Unfilled positions **decreased by 1%**.
- **80%** of agricultural education program graduates **entered school-based agricultural education**, a **6% increase** from the previous year.
- The reported numbers indicate that there were **8,704 female educators (57%)** and **6,443 male educators (42%)** in the agricultural education profession in 2025.
- Agricultural education program **completers** included **600 females (81%)** and **143 males (19%)**.

NAAE Region I Agricultural Education Degree Institutions

Visit the NAAE Teach Ag website at www.naae.org/findacollege for program links.

University of Arizona
Tucson, AZ

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo
San Luis Obispo, CA

California State University, Chico
Chico, CA

California State University, Fresno
Fresno, CA

University of California-Davis
Davis, CA

University of Idaho
Moscow, ID

Montana State University
Bozeman, MT

University of Nevada, Reno
Reno, Nevada

Oregon State University
Corvallis, OR

Utah State University
Logan, UT

Washington State University
Pullman, WA

University of Wyoming
Laramie, WY

NAAE Recruitment, Retention, and Advocacy Resources

Visit www.naae.org for more resources related to agriculture teacher recruitment and retention.

ACTE Legislative Action Center
Agriculture Teachers' Resource
Mentorship Program Information
Recruitment and Retention Guides
Recruitment and Retention Event Guide
State Level Supply and Demand Profiles
National #TeachAg Pathway Resources
National Level Supply and Demand Profiles
Alternatively Certified #TeachAg Pathway Resource
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