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"Agriculture" refers to the growing and distribution of crops. It involves working with nature and the type of crop you will grow varies by season and region. Since weather and pest, such as insects can significantly impact a harvest, you will need specialized knowledge and technique to succeed in agriculture. It is important to have the perseverance to continue your work over many years, even in the face of failure. Many farmers find farming highly rewarding, since it allows them to contribute a great deal to society and their local community.

Working in agriculture:

Although no specific academic background or qualification is required to start a career agriculture, it is advantageous for you to learn about agricultural crops or farming techniques at an agricultural high school, agricultural studies department at a university, or through a course of study in agriculture at a junior college or career college.

Generally, many people find jobs at independent farms or agricultural corporations after the graduating. Some farmers start their own independent farms after learning farming techniques and about farm management under the supervision of senior staff for several years. However, you will need a certain amount of capital to acquire the farmland necessary to start an independent farm.

