

Career Matching Activity

Name _____

Match the agricultural or natural resource career with the correct description.

_____ Agronomist	_____ Florist	_____ Nematologist	_____ Soil Scientist
_____ Animal Nutritionist	_____ Food Process Engineer	_____ Nutritionist/Dietitian	_____ Toxicologist
_____ Aquaculturist	_____ Food Safety Specialist	_____ Plant Pathologist	_____ Turf Scientist
_____ Biotechnologist	_____ Food Scientist	_____ Plant Geneticist	_____ Veterinarian
_____ Conservation Biologist	_____ Forest Engineer	_____ Plant Physiologist	_____ Virologist
_____ Entomologist	_____ Forester	_____ Range Manager	_____ Weed Scientist
_____ Environmental Scientist	_____ Horticulturist	_____ Renewable Energy Specialist	_____ Wildlife Biologist
_____ Fisheries Scientist	_____ Hydrologist	_____ Remote Sensing Specialist	_____ Wood Scientist

1. Works to develop new products and processes based on specialized understanding of biological processes.
2. Uses specialized knowledge to develop and promote new ways to meet the world's energy needs.
3. Researches ways to produce crops and manage soils in a productive and environmentally friendly way.
4. Designs floral arrangements, works with customers, and delivers flowers.
5. Protects our food supply by working with food services, restaurants, and federal agencies to ensure that foods being sold are wholesome and safe.
6. Raises a diverse array of aquatic plants and animals in controlled or semi-controlled settings for food or the stocking of public bodies of water.
7. Studies the effects of potentially harmful chemicals on people, animals, and the environment.
8. Studies viruses, how they interact with cells, and how they infect living things.
9. Works in food, chemical, biochemical, and pharmaceutical industries to engineer new processes and products and ensure quality and safety.
10. Helps farmers and ranchers produce crops and livestock more efficiently by using sound pest management strategies.
11. Maps and classifies soils and provides interpretations for land planners and managers.
12. Dedicated to effective management, use, and conservation of aquatic plants and animals.
13. Creates diets that must be nutritionally sound, good-tasting, and economical for the ages and types of animals that will use them.
14. Assesses and protects our water supplies and quality.
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16. Studies roundworms, which play important roles in soil ecology and plant and animal agriculture.
17. Works primarily with nursery and greenhouse crops.
18. Spends time managing timberland.
19. Protects threatened and endangered species and habitats.
20. Works with plants at a genetic level.
21. Helps people look and feel well by making the connection between food, nutrition, and health.
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23. Studies the physical, chemical, and biological functions of living plants.
24. Researches animals in their natural environments.
25. Works to improve golf greens, park lawns, athletic fields, or other public or private grounds.
26. Specializes in converting wood to wood products.
27. Protects the environment by working with hazardous waste management, land use, and air or water quality.
28. Deals with the symptoms, causes, damage, spread, and control of plant diseases.
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