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Horticulture

1. Define horticulture.

The science and art of growing fruits, vegetables, flowers, and ornamental plants.

2. What role does horticulture play in agriculture?

Horticulture provides nutritious food, enhances landscapes, and preserves biodiversity.

3. What is a positive impact horticulture has on the environment?

Horticulture positively impacts the environment by reducing soil erosion, improving air quality, and promoting biodiversity.

4. Define floriculture.

The study and practice of growing, harvesting, storing, processing, and marketing flowers and ornamental plants.

5. Name 5 common plants in floriculture. Circle one you would like to investigate further.

6. Name 3 floriculture practices.

7. Name 3 floriculture career options. Circle one you would like to investigate further.

8. Define olericulture.

The study, production, storage, processing, and marketing of vegetables.

9. Name 5 common plants in olericulture. Circle one you would like to investigate further.

10. Name 3 olericulture practices.

11. Name 3 olericulture career options. Circle one you would like to investigate further.

12. Define nursery/landscape.

The production, marketing, and use of plants including trees, shrubs, flowers, and ground covers for decorative and functional purposes in residential, commercial, and public spaces.

13. Name 5 common plants in the nursery/landscape industry. Circle one you would like to investigate further.

14. Name 3 nursery/landscape practices.

15. Name 3 nursery/landscape career options. Circle one you would like to investigate further.

16. Define pomology.

The study, production, storage, processing, and marketing of fruit crops including tree fruits, berries, and nuts.

17. Name 5 common plants in pomology. Circle one you would like to investigate further.

18. Name 3 pomology practices.

19. Name 3 pomology career options. Circle one you would like to investigate further.