# AGRICULTURE & ANIMAL CARE

# Do you have a love of nature and the environment? Maybe animal care is close to your heart?

The agriculture sector plays a key role in the UK economy with jobs aplenty in this field; from ploughing and harvesting crops, rearing or caring for animals, managing countryside environments and delivering riding lessons.

Take a look at the different career paths you could follow:

#### **Animal Care**

If you're an animal lover, why not make a career out of it? From running a cattery, working with reptiles or training horses; animal care is about handling, supervising and caring for animals of all sizes, from small domestic pets to wildlife.

#### Veterinary

Train to become a veterinary nurse, caring for animals around the clock. You can also study further to become a veterinarian.

#### Equine

If you love horses and don't mind working in the elements, then this is the career for you! Take the reins and learn to give lessons to others or progress into events management in the arena. Either way, you can get a job doing what you love.

#### Agriculture and Conservation

A growth area in the UK! Agriculture concerns farms, dairies and 'agribusinesses' - companies that supply the industry with feed, fertilisers and farm machinery. Managing woodlands or environmental conservation aren't just about saving the planet but providing solutions for a sustainable and healthy environment.

#### Land based engineering

Interested in preserving the environment and how things work? Then land based engineering is for you. Jobs include designing, manufacturing and maintaining agricultural equipment like combine harvesters and tractors, working for dealerships and manufacturers. **£21,164 £11.00/HR** TYPICAL AVERAGE WAGE IN THIS INDUSTRY TOTAL JOBS IN THIS INDUSTRY 7,071 WALES 126,457 UK

64% OF FARMERS

ARE AGED OVER 55.

**DEMAND FOR NEW** 

**RECRUITS WILL** 

**BE HIGH** 

BY DEVELOPING YOUR SKILLS IN ANIMAL CARE AND VETERINARY, YOU COULD BE THE NEXT 'SUPERVET'!

(source EMSI Q1 2018 Dataset / Careers Wales)

## What can I study, and where?

	Duration	USK
Agriculture and Countryside Level 2	1 year	<ul> <li>Image: A second s</li></ul>
Agriculture Level 3	2 years	<b>~</b>
Animal Care Level 1	1 year	<b>V</b>
Animal Care Level 2	1 year	<b>~</b>
Animal Management Level 3	2 years	<b>~</b>
Countryside Management Level 3	2 years	<b>~</b>
Technical Land-Based Engineering Level 1	1 year	<b>~</b>
Technical Land-Based Engineering Level 2	1 year	<ul> <li>Image: A second s</li></ul>
Horse Care Level 1	1 year	<b>~</b>
Horse Care Level 2	1 year	<b>~</b>
Horse Management Level 3	2 years	<b>/</b>
Farmbased Machinery Level 2	1 year	<ul> <li>Image: A second s</li></ul>
Introduction to Land based Studies	1 year	<b>V</b>

# £50,000 PER YEAR!

**FARM MANAGER** 

**YOU COULD EARN** 

## **Useful links**

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