

IN SCHOOL AGRICULTURE: ITS BENEFITS AND IMPORTANCE

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The pandemic has provided insight into which area of the economy requires greater help and development in our nation. The COVID-19 outbreak brought attention to how important agriculture is to the Philippine economy. The need for the country to be self-sustainable was demonstrated when import and export were forced to halt because of stringent social distance rules. In light of this, the government worked to develop the agriculture industry.

Majority of the resources we require to survive in this world are provided by agriculture. The majority of the goods we use come from the agricultural sector. If we do not value agriculture, we will not live long lives. Some of us understood the significance of agriculture in terms of supplying food, but the vast majority of people were unaware of the significance of each and every item that farmers and agriculturalists produced just for their enjoyment and ability to survive. Agriculture has historically and currently provided us with a variety of commodities that are very important in daily life and are not limited to only supplying food. Since agriculture is as diverse as the universe, there are employment options inside it.

Schools can benefit from agriculture. Students between the ages of 10 and 14 who are enrolled in Agriculture in Schools are trained in best practices, such as composting, cultivating, and correct sowing. Participating students gain an understanding of the significance and dignity of agricultural labor. Fresh ingredients will be provided by agriculture; yet, young people frequently have a negative perception of the industry. Clearly, this may be the way to show children how to increase the amount of better-

quality food they can grow. A compulsory or even an elective in schools should be agriculture.

Many students, especially those who have grown up on farms, do not want to take agriculture courses because they wish to leave what they see as a financially and morally degrading profession. A club for students interested in learning more about agriculture, which includes the breeding and production of animals, plants, and fungi (fungi) for food, fiber, biofuel, medicinal plants, and other goods used to sustain and improve human life, may therefore be a possibility.

Indeed, agriculture is the backbone of our society. We have to give emphasis in the value of agriculture, for all of us depend on agriculture.

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