**Unit Title:** The Science of Living Things (3 days)

# **Stage 1: Desired Results**

#### Standards & Indicators:

## New Jersey Student Learning Standard 9.3-Career and Technical Education.

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- 9.3.12.BM.1 Utilize mathematical concepts, skills and problem solving to obtain necessary information for decision-making in business.
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#### **NJSLS for English Language Arts (Companion Standards)**

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	Career Readiness,	, Life Literacies and Ke	y Skills
Standard	Performance	Expectations	Core Ideas
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9.4.12.CT.2	Explain the potential benefits of collaborating to enhance critical thinking and problem solving (e.g., 1.3E.12profCR3.a)		Collaboration with individuals with diverse experiences can aid in the problem-solving process, particularly for global issues where diverse solutions are needed.
9.4.12.CT.2	Explain the potential be to enhance critical think solving	_	Collaboration with individuals with diverse experiences can aid in the problem-solving process, particularly for global issues where diverse solutions are needed.
Central Idea/Enduring Understanding:		Essential/Guiding Qu	estion:
Major sciences explain the development, existence, and improvement of living things.		How can we describe to agriscience?	pasic and applied sciences that relate to
Content: Discovery of agriscience in the world around us.		Skills(Objectives):	
Relation of agriscience to agriculture, agribusiness, and renewable natural resources.		existence, and improve	sciences that explain the development, ement of living things.
Major sciences that support agriscience.			
Basic and applied sciences that relate to agriscience.			

## **Interdisciplinary Connections:**

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Stage 2: Assessment Evidence		
Performance Task(s): Other Evidence:		
Define key terms Exit ticket		

Self-Evaluation

Create a bulletin board to display information within unit

individual questioning & answers

Quiz

Unit assessment

# **Stage 3: Learning Plan**

### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Demonstration
Individual activities
Pair-sharing
Cooperative learning activities

#### **Resources:**

Agriscience Fundamentals and Applications 4th edition; Burton and Cooper

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## **Differentiation**

High-Achieving	On Grade Level	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
Students	Students		
Varying sets of reading	Varying sets of	Varying sets of	Any student requiring further
comprehension questions	reading	reading	accommodations and/or modifications
to answer for a given	comprehension	comprehension	will have them individually listed in
chapter (either chosen by	questions to answer	questions to answer	their 504 Plan or IEP. These might
the teacher or student).	for a given chapter	for a given chapter	include, but are not limited to:
A personalized course	(either chosen by the	(either chosen by the	breaking assignments into smaller
packet with individualized	teacher or student).	teacher or student).	tasks, giving directions through
enrichment materials.	A personalized	A personalized course	several channels (auditory, visual,
An adaptive assessment	course packet with	packet with	kinesthetic, model), and/or small
that gets harder	individualized	individualized	group instruction for reading/writing
depending on how a	remediation or	remediation or	
student is performing.	enrichment materials.	enrichment materials.	ELL supports should include, but are
One-on-one coaching with	An adaptive	An adaptive	not limited to, the following::
a student, designed	assessment that gets	assessment that gets	Extended time
around his/her specific for	easier or harder	easier or harder	Provide visual aids
higher thinking	depending on how a	depending on how a	Repeated directions
challenges.	student is performing.	student is performing.	Differentiate based on proficiency
Students grouped into	One-on-one coaching	One-on-one coaching	Provide word banks
small groups, which are	with a student,	with a student,	Allow for translators, dictionaries
designed around their	designed around	designed around	
strengths and	his/her specific	his/her specific	
weaknesses so that they	challenges.	challenges.	

can assist and challenge	Students grouped	Students grouped into	
each other.	into small groups,	small groups, which	
	which are designed	are designed around	
	around their strengths	their strengths and	
	and weaknesses so	weaknesses so that	
	that they can tutor	they can tutor each	
	each other.	other.	
		Allow extra time on	
		assessments	
		Provide study guides	
		Weekly conference to	
		set short term goals	

**Unit Title:** Biotechnology (4 days)

# **Stage 1: Desired Results**

#### Standards & Indicators:

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Standard	Performance	Expectations	Core Ideas
9.4.12.Cl.1	Demonstrate the ability use creative skills and	to reflect, analyze, and ideas	With a growth mindset, failure is an important part of success.
9.4.12.CT.2	Explain the potential be to enhance critical thinl solving (e.g., 1.3E.12pi	king and problem	Collaboration with individuals with diverse experiences can aid in the problem-solving process, particularly for global issues where diverse solutions are needed.
9.4.12.CT.2	Explain the potential be to enhance critical thinl solving		Collaboration with individuals with diverse experiences can aid in the problem-solving process, particularly for global issues where diverse solutions are needed.
<u>Central Idea/Endurii</u>	ng Understanding:	Essential/Guiding Qu	estion:
Applications of Biotechnology in the Agriculture industry and how it affects how we live today		How can we explain an biotechnology?	nd discuss various elements of
Content:		Skills(Objectives):	
Biotechnology & DNA  Plant and Animal improvement  Genetic engineering			DNA, and other related terms.  lant and animal improvement.
		Discuss historic applica	·
		Explain the concept of	genetic engineering.
		Describe applications of	of biotechnology in agriscience.
		State some safety cond	cerns and safeguards in biotechnology

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# **Stage 2: Assessment Evidence**

#### Performance Task(s):

Define key terms Self-Evaluation

#### Other Evidence:

Exit ticket

individual questioning & answers

Quiz

Unit assessment

## **Stage 3: Learning Plan**

#### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Introduce this unit by serving one or more small servings of the following foods to the class members: bread, vogurt, or cheese, Explain to the class that each of these foods is a product of biotechnology because living organisms act on the food to preserve it. Name as many food products as you can that are products of biotechnology.

Identify some Web sites on the Internet where students may learn more about the production of food by plants and animals that have been improved using genetic engineering techniques

Demonstration Individual activities Pair-sharing Cooperative learning activities

#### **Resources:**

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#### Differentiation

High-Achieving Students	On Grade Level Students	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
Varying sets of reading	Varying sets of	Varying sets of	Any student requiring further
comprehension questions	reading	reading	accommodations and/or modifications
to answer for a given	comprehension	comprehension	will have them individually listed in
chapter (either chosen by	questions to answer	questions to answer	their 504 Plan or IEP. These might
the teacher or student).	for a given chapter	for a given chapter	include, but are not limited to:

A personalized course packet with individualized enrichment materials. An adaptive assessment that gets harder depending on how a student is performing. One-on-one coaching with a student, designed around his/her specific for higher thinking challenges. Students grouped into small groups, which are designed around their strengths and weaknesses so that they can assist and challenge each other.

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breaking assignments into smaller tasks, giving directions through several channels (auditory, visual, kinesthetic, model), and/or small group instruction for reading/writing

ELL supports should include, but are not limited to, the following::
Extended time
Provide visual aids
Repeated directions
Differentiate based on proficiency
Provide word banks
Allow for translators, dictionaries

**<u>Unit Title</u>**: Career Options and Leadership Development in Agriscience (8 days)

# **Stage 1: Desired Results**

Provide study guides Weekly conference to set short term goals

## Standards & Indicators:

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Career Readiness, Life Literacies and Key Skills			
Standard	Performance Expectations	Core Ideas	
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9.4.12.CT.2	Explain the potential benefits of collaborating to enhance critical thinking and problem solving (e.g., 1.3E.12profCR3.a)	Collaboration with individuals with diverse experiences can aid in the problem-solving process, particularly for global issues where diverse solutions are needed.	
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Central Idea/Enduring Understanding:	Essential/Guiding Question:
Career opportunities in agriscience.  Basic leadership skills  Parliamentary procedure  Work based learning-FFA	How do we develop basic leadership skills utilized within the agriculture industry to include FFA?  How can we survey the variety of career opportunities in agriscience, observe how they are classified, and consider how he or she can prepare for careers in agriscience?
Content:	Skills(Objectives):
Effective leadership and development	Define agriscience and its major divisions.
Work Based Learning: Explore job opportunities in farm and off-farm agriscience jobs. Future Farmers of America Field trip to tour a working farm	Describe the opportunities for careers in agriscience. Compare the scope of job opportunities in farm and off-farm agriscience jobs.  List activities in middle school, high school, and thereafter to help prepare for agriscience careers.  Identify resource people for obtaining career assistance in agriscience.
	Define leader and leadership.
	Explain why effective leadership is needed in agriscience.  List some characteristics of good leaders.
	Describe the opportunities for leadership development in FFA.

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# **Stage 2: Assessment Evidence**

## **Performance Task(s):**

Make a list of 10 to 15 interests you currently have. research for careers that may incorporate some of your interests or that appear to be interesting to you. Write those careers next to the interests on your list and consider your future in those professions quiz, unit assessment

### **Other Evidence:**

Career Wheel project Exit ticket individual questioning & answers Quiz Unit assessment

Mock FFA meeting utilizing parliamentary procedure,

Define key terms Self-Evaluation

# **Stage 3: Learning Plan**

#### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

In small groups, describe the characteristics of a good leader. Produce examples of people who were/are good leaders and explain why. Present your ideas to the rest of the class.

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Class activity of practicing parliamentary procedure

Demonstration Individual activities Pair-sharing Cooperative learning activities

#### **Resources:**

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#### **Differentiation**

High-Achieving Students	On Grade Level Students	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
Varying sets of reading comprehension questions to answer for a given chapter (either chosen by the teacher or student). A personalized course packet with individualized enrichment materials. An adaptive assessment that gets harder depending on how a student is performing. One-on-one coaching with a student, designed around his/her specific for higher thinking	Varying sets of reading comprehension questions to answer for a given chapter (either chosen by the teacher or student). A personalized course packet with individualized remediation or enrichment materials. An adaptive assessment that gets easier or harder depending on how a	Varying sets of reading comprehension questions to answer for a given chapter (either chosen by the teacher or student). A personalized course packet with individualized remediation or enrichment materials. An adaptive assessment that gets easier or harder depending on how a	Any student requiring further accommodations and/or modifications will have them individually listed in their 504 Plan or IEP. These might include, but are not limited to: breaking assignments into smaller tasks, giving directions through several channels (auditory, visual, kinesthetic, model), and/or small group instruction for reading/writing  ELL supports should include, but are not limited to, the following:: Extended time  Provide visual aids  Repeated directions
challenges.	student is performing.	student is performing.	Differentiate based on proficiency Provide word banks

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small groups, which are	with a student,	with a student,	
designed around their	designed around	designed around	
strengths and	his/her specific	his/her specific	
weaknesses so that they	challenges.	challenges.	
can assist and challenge	Students grouped	Students grouped into	
each other.	into small groups,	small groups, which	
	which are designed	are designed around	
	around their strengths	their strengths and	
	and weaknesses so	weaknesses so that	
	that they can tutor	they can tutor each	
	each other.	other.	
		Allow extra time on	
		assessments	
		Provide study guides	
		Weekly conference to	
		set short term goals	

**<u>Unit Title</u>**: Water and Soil Conservation (4 days)

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Career Readiness, Life Literacies and Key Skills			
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Central Idea/Enduring Understanding:		Essential/Guiding Que	estion:
Relationships between water and soil in our environment and the recommended practices for conserving these resources.			ne relationships between water and soil the recommended practices for rces?
Content: Water & Soil Major threats to water quality. Soil, water and plant growth. Soil and water conservation practice		Skills(Objectives): Define water, soil, and r Cite important relationsl water quality.	elated terms.  nips between land characteristics and
		Describe types of soil w growth.	ater and their relationships to plant

Cite examples of enormous erosion problems worldwide.
Describe key factors affecting soil erosion by wind and water.
List important soil and water conservation practices.

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# **Stage 2: Assessment Evidence**

## Performance Task(s):

Prepare a class presentation and demonstration on soil and water conservation

Define key terms Self-Evaluation

#### Other Evidence:

Exit ticket individual questioning & answers Quiz

# **Stage 3: Learning Plan**

### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

In small groups, describe the characteristics of a good leader. Produce examples of people who were/are good leaders and explain why. Present your ideas to the rest of the class.

Discuss some major threats to water quality.

Demonstration Individual activities Pair-sharing Cooperative learning activities

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### **Differentiation**

\*Please note: Teachers who have students with 504 plans that require curricular accommodations are to refer to Struggling and/or Special Needs Section for differentiation

On Grade Level	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
Students		
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**Unit Title:** Forest Management & Wildlife Management (10 days)

# Stage 1: Desired Results

### **Standards & Indicators:**

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Career Readiness, Life Literacies and Key Skills			
Standard Performance Expectations		Core Ideas	
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	Agrici	ultural Science	
9.4.12.CT.2	Explain the potential be to enhance critical think solving		Collaboration with individuals with diverse experiences can aid in the problem-solving process, particularly for global issues where diverse solutions are needed.
Central Idea/Endurii	ng Understanding:	Essential/Guiding Qu	estion:
Forests are ecosystems characterized by a dominance of tree cover and they contain a variety of other organisms			e the relationship of forests to our ecommended practices for utilizing
Forests can be managed for single or multiple uses. These uses may require different management methods.			e the relationship between wildlife and pproved practices in managing wildlife
use and managemen Given the right circun	goal is to ensure the wise t of renewable resources. nstances, living organisms e resources can replenish ly.		
Content:		Skills(Objectives):	
Forest regions in US		Define forest terms.	
Types and Species of Woodlot management Wildlife Management	nt	Describe the forest reg	ions of the United States.
3	Whalle Management		s and species of trees.
		Describe how a tree gr	ows.
		Discuss important pro	perties of wood.
		Apply principles of goo	d woodlot management.
		Describe procedures for	or seasoning lumber.
		Define wildlife terms.	

Identify characteristics of wildlife.

Describe relationships between types of wildlife.

Understand the relationships between wildlife and humans.

Describe classifications of wildlife management.

Identify approved practices in wildlife management.

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# **Stage 2: Assessment Evidence**

#### **Performance Task(s):**

Create a plant log consisting of 25 plants

Define key terms Self-Evaluation

## Other Evidence:

Exit ticket

individual questioning & answers

Quiz

# Stage 3: Learning Plan

#### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Demonstration

Individual activities

Pair-sharing

Cooperative learning activities

Discuss important relationships among forests, wildlife, and water resources.

List any 10 trees and whether they are deciduous or evergreen.

List any 10 wildlife species found in the Pine Barrens

Discuss the future of wildlife in the United States.

#### **Resources:**

Agriscience Fundamentals and Applications 4th edition; Burton and Cooper

#### LGBT and Disabilities Resources:

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<u>Unit Title</u>: Biological, Cultural, and Chemical Control of Pests (5 days)

# **Stage 1: Desired Results**

Weekly conference to set short term goals

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Central Idea / Enduring Understanding: Biological and chemical control of pests found within the agricultural industry, pesticide safety		·	estion:  n understanding of the major pest ents of effective pest management

	How do the major pest groups adversely affect agriscience activities?
Content:	Skills(Objectives):
	Define pest, disease, insect, weed, biological, cultural,
Pest Management	chemical, and other terms associated with integrated pest
Roles of Insects	management.
	Describe weeds based on their life cycles.
	Describe both the beneficial and detrimental roles that insects play.
	Recognize the major components and the causal agents of disease.
	Understand and explain the concept of integrated pest management.and pesticide safety

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Performance Task(s):	Other Evidence:
Define key terms	Bulletin Board,
Self-Evaluation	Exit ticket
Create an IPM program	individual questioning & answers
	Quiz

## Stage 3: Learning Plan

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Learning Opportunities/Strategies:	Resources:		
Demonstration	Agriscience Fundamentals and Applications 4th edition; Burton		
Individual activities	and Cooper		
Pair-sharing			
Cooperative learning activities	LGBT and Disabilities Resources:		
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List any 5 pests that are found on plants	State Equality and Make it Better for Youth		
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Unit Title: Plant Structures and Taxonomy (6 days)

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Central Idea / Enduring Understanding:  Every part of a plant has an important function.		Essential/Guiding Que What are the major par	estion: ts of plants and their function?	
Content:		Skills(Objectives):		
Plant parts and functions Plant and root structures Vegetation		Draw and label the major parts of plants.  Describe the major functions of roots, stems, fruits, and leaves.		
		Draw and label the par and leaf.	ts of a typical root, stem, flower, fruit,	
		Explain some of the val	riations found in the structures of root s, fruits, and leaves.	
		Describe the relationsh vegetables, and crops.	ip of plant parts to fruits, nuts,	
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# **Stage 2: Assessment Evidence**

### **Performance Task(s):**

Define key terms Self-Evaluation

Create a bulletin board to display parts of a plant and their functions

#### Other Evidence:

Brochure Exit ticket

individual questioning & answers

Quiz

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enrichment materials.	A personalized	A personalized course	several channels (auditory, visual,
An adaptive assessment	course packet with	packet with	kinesthetic, model), and/or small
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		Allow extra time on	
		assessments	
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**Unit Title:** Vegetable Production (5 days)

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Central Idea / Endu	ring Understanding:	Essential/Guiding Question:		
Vegetable production plays a significant role in determining the economic conditions for farmers. Vegetable crops are efficient to generate cash even from a small plot of land in a short period of time and helps farmers to improve their livelihood		How do we determine the opportunities in and identify the basic principles of vegetable production.?  Why is a business plan important?		
Content:		Skills(Objectives):		
Vegetable Production Harvesting		Determine the benefits of vegetable production as a personal enterprise or career opportunity		
		Identify vegetable crops.		
		Plan a vegetable production enterprise and prepare a site for planting.		
		Describe how to plant vegetable crops and utilize appropriate cultural practices.		
		List appropriate proced one commercial vegeta	dures for harvesting and storing at least able crop.	

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Define key terms Self-Evaluation

Create a business plan for a virtual vegetable production enterprise. The plan should include all estimated costs like fuel, seed, hired help, and the like. The size of the property and the type of crop to be planted should be given. Assume that the business will have a fair yield and that the crop will sell at the average market value. Find the estimated profit by subtracting the costs from the income. As a class, discuss the business plan.

#### **Other Evidence:**

Business plan rubric created by the class input

Exit ticket

individual questioning & answers

Quiz

Unit assessment

# Stage 3: Learning Plan

### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Demonstration Individual activities Pair-sharing

Cooperative learning activities

List five vegetables and how to plant vegetable crops and utilize appropriate cultural practices.

#### Resources:

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### **Differentiation**

High-Achieving Students	On Grade Level Students	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
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A personalized course packet with individualized enrichment materials. An adaptive assessment that gets harder depending on how a student is performing. One-on-one coaching with a student, designed around his/her specific for higher thinking challenges. Students grouped into small groups, which are designed around their strengths and weaknesses so that they can assist and challenge each other.

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several channels (auditory, visual, kinesthetic, model), and/or small group instruction for reading/writing

ELL supports should include, but are not limited to, the following::
Extended time
Provide visual aids
Repeated directions
Differentiate based on proficiency
Provide word banks
Allow for translators, dictionaries

<u>Unit Title</u>: Fruit and Nut Production, Grain,Oil,and Specialty Field-Crop Production (9 days)

# **Stage 1: Desired Results**

Provide study guides Weekly conference to set short term goals

### **Standards & Indicators:**

## **New Jersey Student Learning Standard 9.3-Career and Technical Education**

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Career Readiness, Life Literacies and Key Skills			
Standard	Performance Expectations	Core Ideas	
9.4.12.Cl.1	Demonstrate the ability to reflect, analyze, and use creative skills and ideas	With a growth mindset, failure is an important part of success.	
9.4.12.CT.2	Explain the potential benefits of collaborating to enhance critical thinking and problem solving (e.g., 1.3E.12profCR3.a)	Collaboration with individuals with diverse experiences can aid in the problem-solving process, particularly for global issues where diverse solutions are needed.	
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## <u>Central Idea / Enduring Understanding</u>:

Fruits and nuts are also essential in value-added production in U.S. agri-food supply chains. Fruit crops and nut trees can add diversity to any farm or garden.

#### **Essential/Guiding Question:**

How do you determine the opportunities and identify the basic principles of fruit and nut production?

How do you determine the nature of and approved practices recommended for grain, oil, and specialty field crop production?

Content:	Skills(Objectives):
Fruit and Nut crops Career Opportunities Field - Crop production	Determine the benefits of fruit and/or nut production as a personal enterprise or career opportunity.
	Identify fruit and nut crops.
	Describe how to plant fruit and nut trees and utilize appropriate cultural practices in fruit and nut production.
	List appropriate procedures for harvesting and storing at least one commercial fruit or nut crop.
	Identify major crops grown for grain, oil, and special purposes.
	Classify field crops according to use and thermo requirements.
	Describe how to select field crops, varieties, and seed.
	Prepare proper seedbeds for grain, oil, and specialty crops.
	Plant field crops.
	Describe current irrigation practices for field crops to meet their water needs.

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# Stage 2: Assessment Evidence

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Performance Task(s):	Other Evidence:		
Define key terms	Reflection paper		
Self-Evaluation	Student created rubric for poster project		
	Exit ticket		
Create questions to ask a local grower (guest	individual questioning & answers		
speaker/field trip)	Quiz		
	Unit assessment		
Plan a fruit or nut production enterprise and			
prepare a site for planting			
Poster project to display 5 different grains			

## **Stage 3: Learning Plan**

## **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Demonstration
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List five fruits and / or nuts and how to plant vegetable crops and utilize appropriate cultural practices.

List five grains and how to plant vegetable crops and utilize appropriate cultural practices.

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packet with individualized	teacher or student).	teacher or student).	tasks, giving directions through
enrichment materials.	A personalized	A personalized course	several channels (auditory, visual,
An adaptive assessment	course packet with	packet with	kinesthetic, model), and/or small
that gets harder	individualized	individualized	group instruction for reading/writing
depending on how a	remediation or	remediation or	
student is performing.	enrichment materials.	enrichment materials.	ELL supports should include, but are
One-on-one coaching with	An adaptive	An adaptive	not limited to, the following::
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around his/her specific for	easier or harder	easier or harder	Provide visual aids
higher thinking	depending on how a	depending on how a	Repeated directions
challenges.	student is performing.	student is performing.	Differentiate based on proficiency
Students grouped into	One-on-one coaching	One-on-one coaching	Provide word banks
small groups, which are	with a student,	with a student,	Allow for translators, dictionaries
designed around their	designed around	designed around	
strengths and	his/her specific	his/her specific	
weaknesses so that they	challenges.	challenges.	
can assist and challenge	Students grouped	Students grouped into	
each other.	into small groups,	small groups, which	
	which are designed	are designed around	
	around their strengths	their strengths and	
	and weaknesses so	weaknesses so that	

that they can tutor	they can tutor each	
each other.	other.	
	Allow extra time on	
	assessments	
	Provide study guides	
	Weekly conference to	
	set short term goals	

**Unit Title:** Animal Anatomy, Physiology, Nutrition, Small Animal Care and Management (10 days)

# **Stage 1: Desired Results**

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Career Readiness, Life Literacies and Key Skills			
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#### **Central Idea / Enduring Understanding:**

Animal physiology examines how biological processes function, how they operate under various environmental conditions, and how these processes are regulated and integrated.

Small animals serve as companions and pets to almost 60% of all American families. Children learn responsibility and social skills Elderly people benefit from quality of life.

### **Essential/Guiding Question:**

How do you determine the nutritional requirements of animals and satisfy those requirements?

How do you determine the types, uses, care, and management of small animals?

### **Content:**

Animal Physiology Nutrients Classes of small animal

## Skills(Objectives):

Compare animal digestive systems.

Understand the basics of animal physiology.

Understand how nutrients are used by animals.

Identify classes and sources of nutrients.

Identify symptoms of nutrient deficiencies.

Explain the role of feed additives in livestock nutrition.

Compare the composition of various feedstuffs

Describe the domestication and history of small animals

Determine the economic importance of the various classes of small animals.

List the types and uses of the various classes of small animals.

Describe the approved practices in feeding and caring for small animals

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# Stage 2: Assessment Evidence

## Performance Task(s):,

Define key terms Self-Evaluation

Split the class into four small groups. Each group will research the daily nutrient requirements of a different domestic animal of their choosing. The groups may use the Internet, library resources, or any other reliable source. After compiling their information, the groups will share their findings with the class.

#### Other Evidence:

Research project

Exit ticket

individual questioning & answers

Quiz

# Stage 3: Learning Plan

### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Demonstration Individual activities Pair-sharing

Cooperative learning activities

List as many nutrient requirements are need for optimum health of domestic animals

Name one small animal and list 5 essential needs of that animal

#### **Resources:**

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Unit Title: Dairy and Livestock Management (5 days)

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Central Idea / Endurin	g Understanding:	Essential/Guiding Qu	estion:
Livestock are domesticated animals raised in an agricultural setting to provide labor and produce commodities such as meat, eggs, milk, fur, leather, and wool.		How do you determine management of dairy a	the history, types, uses, care, and and livestock?
Content:		Skills(Objectives):	
Management of Dairy Livestock		Describe the history and economic importance of dairy and livestock.	
		Recognize major types and classes of livestock.	
		List major uses of livestock.	
Interdisciplinary Connections:		Understand basic appr management of dairy a	oved practices in the care and and livestock.

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Stage 2: Assessment Evidence				
Performance Task(s): Other Evidence:				
Define key terms Exit ticket				
Self-Evaluation individual questioning & answers				

Create a bulletin board to display information within unit

Quiz Unit Assessment

### **Stage 3: Learning Plan**

### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

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List three types of livestock and five dairy products that you enjoy to eat

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each other.	into small groups,	small groups, which	
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	and weaknesses so	weaknesses so that	
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**Unit Title:** The Food Industry and Food Science (10 days)

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### **Central Idea / Enduring Understanding:**

Many consumers take for granted the availability and selection of products in the United States. But, getting a product from the producer to the final consumer requires different steps such as production, harvesting, processing, transportation, and marketing. Each of these areas plays a vital role in taking food from the farm to the table.

There are many benefits to food processing such as increased food consistency and shelf life. Processing also improves the marketability, convenience, and seasonable availability of food.

### **Essential/Guiding Question**

How can we explore elements, trends, and career opportunities in the food industry?

What are the nutrient requirements for human health and the processes used in food science to ensure an adequate and wholesome food supply?

#### **Content:**

Food industry
Government regulations of food

### Skills(Objectives):

Explain what is meant by the term food industry.

Crop and animal production in world	Determine the importance of the food industry to the
Food science careers	consumer.
	Describe the second of the feed in ductor.
	Describe the economic scope of the food industry.
	Identify government requirements and other assurances of
	food quality and sanitation.
	Compare the major crop and animal commodity production
	areas in the nation and the world.
	Discuss the major food commodity groups and their
	predominant origins.
	Explain the major operations that occur in the food industry.
	Describe career opportunities in food science.
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	Discuss future developments predicted for the food industry.

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# **Stage 2: Assessment Evidence**

Performance Task(s):	Other Evidence:
Define key terms	Exit ticket
Self-Evaluation	individual questioning &
	answers
Reflection paper on "Food Industry" video	Quiz
	Unit Assessment
	GMO persuasive essay
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## **Stage 3: Learning Plan**

<u>Learning Opportunities/Strategies:</u>	Resources:
Demonstration Individual activities Pair-sharing	Agriscience Fundamentals and Applications 4th edition; Burton and Cooper
Cooperative learning activities	LGBT and Disabilities Resources:
	LGBTQ-Inclusive Lesson & Resources by Garden     State Equality and Make it Better for Youth
	<ul> <li>LGBTQ+ Books</li> </ul>

Identify government requirements and other assurances of food quality and sanitation; define GMO

### **DEI Resources:**

- Learning for Justice
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Unit Title: Marketing in Agriscience (5 days)

### **Stage 1: Desired Results**

### **Standards & Indicators:**

#### New Jersey Student Learning Standard 9.3-Career and Technical Education

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	Career Read	diness, Life Literacies and P	Key Skills
Standard	Performa	nce Expectations	Core Ideas
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Central Idea / Enduri	ng Understanding:	Essential/Guiding Question	on:
There are many strategies and procedures for marketing agricultural commodities to maximize profits.			to creating an advertisement?
Content:  Marketing Strategies		Skills(Objectives): Describe the marketing stra	ategies that maximize profits.
Wholesale and retail m Costs of marketing	narketing	Describe various pricing strategies.	
Marketing trends		Distinguish between wholesale and retail marketing.	
		Describe some methods of marketing at farms, roadside stands, and farmers' markets.	
		Discuss advantages and disadvantages of terminal markets, auctions, and direct marketing.	
		Recognize fees, commissions, and other costs of marketing.	
		Understand the grades of some popular agriscience commodities.	
		Recognize marketing trends and cycles.	
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### **Performance Task(s):**

Define key terms Self-Evaluation

Marketing and advertising for agricultural commodity project

### Other Evidence:

Exit ticket

individual questioning & answers

Quiz

Unit Assessment

### **Stage 3: Learning Plan**

### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Demonstration Individual activities Pair-sharing

Cooperative learning activities

List the procedures for handling livestock to minimize losses during marketing.

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packet with	teacher or	remediation or enrichment	kinesthetic, model), and/or small group
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assessment that gets	individualized	depending on how a	limited to, the following::
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Entrepreneurship		Define and describe en	trepreneurship.

Self- employment	
Small business ventures	Describe steps in planning a business venture.
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Agribusiness project (individual or groups)

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Exit ticket

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individual questioning & answers

Quiz

Unit Assessment

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# **Pacing Guide**

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Career Options & Leadership Development in Agriscience Water Soil Conservation Forest Management	3: (5 Days) 4: (3 days) 5:(4 Days) 6: (5 Days)	HS-LS2-0 HS-LS2-7 HS-LS4-4 HS-ESS2-7
UNIT 2: (21 Days) Wildlife Management Biological, Cultural, & Chemical Control of Pests Plant Structures & Taxonomy Vegetable Production  UNIT 3: (24 Days) Fruit & Nut Production Grain, Oil, & Speciality Field-Crop Production Animal Anatomy, Physiology, & Nutrition Small Animal Care & Management Dairy & Livestock Management	Chapters: 7: (5 Days) 8: (5 Days) 9:(6 Days) 10: (5 Days)  Chapters: 11: (5 Days) 12: (4 Days) 13: (5 Days) 14: (5 Days) 15: (5 Days)	9.3.12.AG-ANI.5-7 9.3.12.AG-FD.1 -4 9.3.12.BM.1-6 RST.11-12.2. WHST.11-12.2. HS-LS2-6 HS-LS2-7 HS-LS4-4 HS-ESS2-7  9.3.12.AG-ANI.5-7 9.3.12.AG-FD.1 -4 9.3.12.BM.1-6 RST.11-12.2. WHST.11-12.2. HS-LS2-6 HS-LS2-7 HS-LS4-4 HS-ESS2-7
UNIT 4: (20 Days) The Food Industry & Food Science Marketing in Agriscience Entrepreneurship in Agriscience	Chapters: 16: (10 Days) 17: (5 Days) 18: (5 Days)	9.3.12.AG-ANI.5-7 9.3.12.AG-FD.1 -4 9.3.12.BM.1-6 RST.11-12.2. WHST.11-12.2. HS-LS2-6 HS-LS2-7 HS-LS4-4 HS-ESS2-7