

U6: Agricultural Geography

Terms	Notes/Examples
Examples, Examples, Examples!!! Global/Regional/Local Scales!!!	
Agribusiness	
Agricultural Density	
Agriculture	
Animal Hearths	
Animal Waste	
Antibiotics	
Artificial Dyes	
Artificial & Natural Flavors	
Artificial Hormones	
Aquaculture	
Bananas	
Bid-Rent Theory	
Bioclimatic Zones	
Biotechnology	
California Central Valley	
Cash Crop / Cash Cropping	
Chemical Farming	
Chitemene	
Clearcutting	
Climate	
CO2 Emissions	
Coffee	
Coffee Shops	
Columbian Exchange	
Combine	
Commercial Agriculture	
Complex Commodity Chain	
Conservation Efforts	
Containerization	
Corn	

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Deforestation	
Desertification	
Disposable Income	
Distribution (Clustered, Linear, Dispersed)	
Distance Decay	
Distance to Market	
Domestication	
Draining Wetlands	
E-Coli	
Economies of Scale	
Enclosure	
Erosion	
Ethanol	
Exports	
Extensive Agriculture	
Factory Farms	
Fair Trade	
Fallow	
Family Farms	
Famine	
Farm	
Farm Bill	
Feed Lot	
Fertilizer	
Food Processing Facilities	
Flash Frozen	
First Agricultural Revolution	
Free Trade Agreements	
Genetically Modified Organisms (GMOS)	
Global Supply Chain	
Globalization	

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Government Policies	
Hearth	
Herbicides	
High Fructose Corn Syrup	
High & Low Value Land	
High-yield Seeds	
Hybrid Seeds	
Immigrant Work Force	
Imports	
Infrastructure	
Intensive Agriculture	
Irrigation	
Labor Intensive	
Landforms	
Large-scale Commercial Ag	
Livestock Systems	
Local vs. Global Consumption	
Local-Food Movements	
Long Lot Land Use	
Maize	
Malnutrition	
Malthus Theory	
Manufacturing Process	
Markets	
Market Gardening	
Mechanization	
Mechanized Farming	
Mediterranean Agriculture	
Megafarms	
Milpa	
Milkshed	
Mixed crop agriculture	

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Multi-use agricultural products	
Neo-Malthus Theory	
Nomadic Herding	
Nutrition	
Nutritional Density	
Organic Farming	
Overgrazing	
Pastoral Nomadism	
Pesticides	
Plant Hearths	
Plantation Agriculture	
Political Systems	
Potatos	
Preservatives	
Profit/Profit Margin	
Rain Fall	
Ranching	
rBGH & rBST	
Regionalism	
Refrigeration	
Rice	
Rivers	
Root Agriculture	
Second Agricultural Revolution	
Seed Agriculture	
Sedentary Farming	
Shifting Agriculture	
Slash-and-Burn	
Single Commodity Dependency	
Soil	
Soil Fertility	
Soy	

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Specialized Farms	
Subsidies	
Supermarkets	
Sustainability	
Sweet potatoes	
Swidden	
Tariffs	
Temperature	
Terracing	Converting hillsides for rice paddies, prevent erosion. More gravity-fed irrigation.
Tractor	
Transportation Costs	
Treatment of Animals	
Underground Aquifers	
Value-added Specialty Foods	
Vertical Integration	
Von Thunen	
Wet Rice	
Yield	
BIG IDEAS Examples, Examples, Examples!!! Global/Regional/Local Scales!!!	
#1: Describe Agriculture.	
#1a: Where does agriculture exist on the globe? (Know the regions where major crops are grown and animals raised)	
#1b: How does the landscape impact agricultural practices?	

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#2: How does agriculture impact land use?	
#2a: Describe the Von Thunen Model (Local and National Scale)	
#3: Outline/Explain the Historical Evolution of Agriculture (Especially Plant and Animal Hearths)	
#4: How does Technology Impact Agriculture?	
#5: Agriculture and the Economy	
#5a: How does Agriculture impact the economy and development?	
#5b: How does the economy and market forces impact Agriculture?	
#6: How does Agriculture impact culture and quality of life?	
#7: How does Agriculture Effect the Environment?	
#8: Globalization of Agriculture	

