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Jobs at the Orchard

There are many jobs at the Orchard throughout the year. Each season brings about a gradual shifting of responsibilities and jobs to be done. A good farm crew is one that can easily perform all of the tasks necessary to care for the fruit they produce. Special skills are needed to run an orchard successfully. The orchard provides a place where people of many interests can pursue a career.

Entomology – Studies the science of insects and their behavior.

Horticulture- Studies the process of growing things.

Pomology- Studies the science and practices of fruit growing.

Pathology- Studies the science of diseases.

Farm Management – Supervises farm crew, and all farm operations

Farm Crew –Performs all tasks required to care for fruit and farm tools throughout the year.

Research Technician -monitors experiments, testing, and data collection.

Professor-Teaches students enrolled at the university.

Education Coordinator- Gives orchard tours to students and community groups.

Retail Crew- Provides friendly service to customers in retail store.

Sponsors- Finances operations at the farm.

Inventor- Develops tools to make farming more productive

Nutritionist- Studies the science of nutritional value of the fruit we eat